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THE TIGER OF TIBET



Chapter XIV.—TO AND FRO.

(By GERALD BURRARD)

WHILE Phyllis was attending to her father Sher Khan was rubbing Geoffrey's limbs, and gradually life crept into them once again. Then Geoffrey stood up and stretched out his hand to Sher Khan.

"Thank God, Sher Khan, for a friend such as thou."

"Time for thanks, sahib, when we are out of this. In the meanwhile here are arms."

He unslung Geoffrey's own beloved double .240 from his back and strapped a bandolier of cartridges round Geoffrey's waist. Then from some apparently inexhaustible recess in his clothing he pulled out Geoffrey's long-barrelled Colt revolver, and several paper packets of cartridges, which he gave to Geoffrey to dispose of as he thought fit. Next he handed him four Mills's bombs.

"I could not bear to think of these being left behind at the mission-station, so, unknown to you, I hid them about my person. And now—why, I am glad I did!"

Sher Khan had his 250 Savage rifle slung over one shoulder, and he had hidden his automatic on his person. He then picked up one of the Mausers which the guard had flung away, saw that the magazine was full, emptied the magazines of the others, and gave the rifle and all the cartridges he had thus procured to the missionary, who was engaged, with Phyllis's help, in trying to cover his back with clothing again.

These actions were the work of a very few minutes, and then Sher Khan stood up ready for the fray once more.

"How are we to get out, sahib? Do you know the way?"

"The main gate is the only way and they are sure to be guarding that. I think we had better try and climb through the sky light and leave by the road you came."

With this object in view they began to pull the long table to position under the skylight, but they had not dragged it far when a volley of shots were fired through the door.

Geoffrey, remembering his experience of the previous night, at once pulled his companion away from such an exposed position.

"Let's try the 'Tiger's' private passage once more", and he led the way back into the 'Tiger's' den. As he recrossed the threshold of that fateful doorway he realised how rash they had been in leaving it

open, and wondered why the "Tiger" had not sent a detachment of men along the passage in order to take him and his companions in rear. The fact that the enemy had not adopted this plan showed how demoralised they were for the time being, and Geoffrey blessed Sher Khan's happy thought of the Mills's bombs.

"What are we to do, sahib?"

Geoffrey explained as rapidly as possible the lie of the land. Without a word Sher Khan darted back to the other room, and returned almost immediately dragging the body of the late Li Foo.

"Is there a keyhole?"

"I will hold it up as a shield in front of me as I lead the way. It will stop knife-thrust or a pistol bullet."

Geoffrey nodded and slid back the door near the couch which had already served them so well.

"A torch?"



Lt.-Col. Geoffrey Barracough.

"I have got one," said Phyllis, holding Thompsons!

"And I too, sahib."

Sher Khan led the way down the steps with his grisly shield in front of him. Geoffrey followed at his heels, his rifle slung over his shoulder, his revolver in one hand, and the other grasping a Mills's bomb in his pocket. Phyllis came next holding his garment as before, and Mr. Merridow again brought up the rear. But this time he was armed with a Mauser rifle.

"What about the main gate?" It was Phyllis who asked the question.

"I've got the key. Thompson showed me where he kept it, in his triumphant gloating last night, and I took it while Sher Khan went back for that body."

The advance was necessarily slow, as Geoffrey did not like to risk a light, but at last they reached the steps which led up the farther door. One by one they ascended, and on the topmost step Sher Khan paused.

"Is there a keyhole? I cannot see one. Ah, here it is. It is dark beyond, or very nearly. I can see nothing. Shall I open the door?"

"Yes, we must go on."

Sher Khan slowly opened the door. It did not make a sound, so smoothly worked the hinges. They all listened. The silence was of the dead. Sher Khan gradually pushed his burden out into the passage in front of him. He himself was about to step out when there was a whirr and sickening thud. The Pathan felt his gruesome burden almost knocked out of his hands. As it staggered there was another thud on the other side, and the dead body fell to the floor. Geoffrey thrust his revolver past Sher Khan and fired at random; then he heard the Pathan give a grunt of satisfaction and his automatic spoke once more. This shot undoubtedly took effect, as there was the sound of a body falling on the floor of the passage.

Suddenly the light from Sher Khan's torch flashed out into the gloom, and this was the sight which Geoffrey saw.

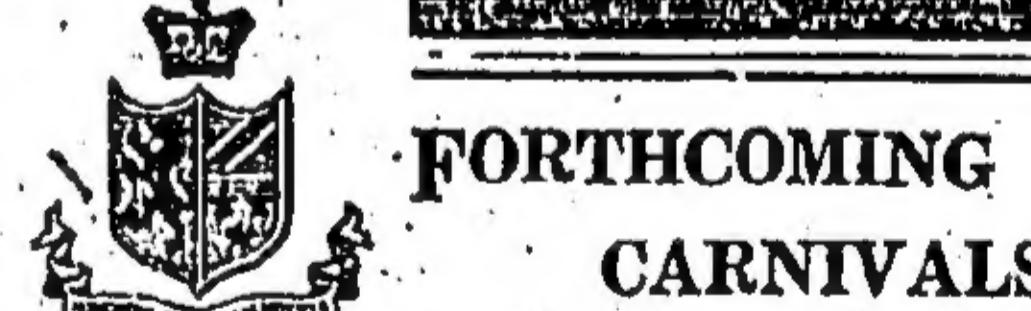
On the ground lay the body of Max, the head almost severed from the trunk by two mighty cuts which could only have been delivered by heavy swords or axes. Across it was stretched the corpse of another Tibetan obviously the man whom Geoffrey had just shot. Down the passage towards the temple gate sped a third Tibetan, while across the passage and between them and the main gate was drawn a row of guards armed with rifles.

Sher Khan had only flashed the light on for a fraction of a second, but the scene was instantaneously photographed on both his and Geoffrey's brains.

As the light shone out a volley cracked out, but the Pathan was too old a hand to be thus caught, and had stretched his arms out to its utmost limit before he had pressed the switch, while he had withdrawn his body behind the cover of the passage wall. The volley and the torch had betrayed the position of the enemy, and the Pathan quickly flung another Mills's bomb into their closely-packed ranks.

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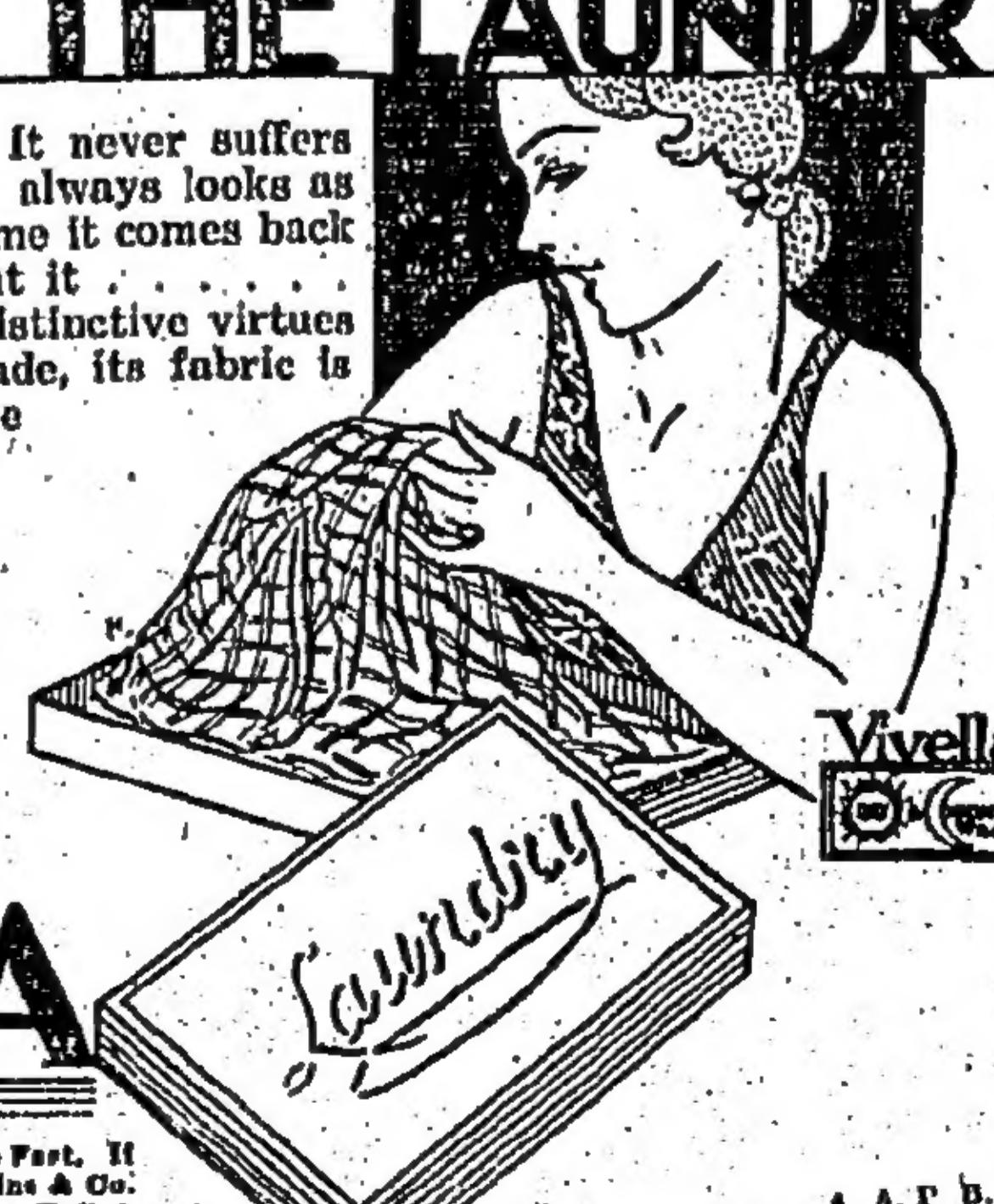
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WIN DEBUT GAME
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Jean Dalziel And Joan
Churchill Score Twice

CAER CLARK CUP LEAGUE

At Sookunpoo yesterday the Hong Kong Ladies Hockey eleven, holders of the Caer Clark Ladies' Hockey Championship for the past three seasons, beat the C.B.A. Ladies by 4 goals to 1 their debut game this season.

The champions scored three times in the first nine minutes, the first goal being scored by J. Dalziel from a corner taken by E. Bell. Immediately afterwards J. Churchill snatched up a pass from Dalziel and made no mistake with her shot, while a few minutes later Mrs. Webber only partially cleared a shot from J. Dalziel, the latter following up to net the third goal.

Four minutes after the resumption J. Churchill brought the Champions' total to four, and five minutes later D. Miles netted for the C.B.A. from an oblique position on the right.

H.K. Ladies—M. Bird; E. Holblum, M. Wallace, B. Hunter, H. K. Lowe, E. Ollington; E. Bell, J. Dalziel, E. Bonnar, J. Churchill and E. Selby. C.B.A. Ladies—Mrs. Webber; P. Woolley, Mrs. Hudson, E. Beavis, M. Bryson, M. Whitley, E. Woolley, Mrs. Miles, M. Smith, D. Hunt, and Mrs. Crossley.

Mrs. Read Scores Five
Against Recreio.

SMASHING WIN FOR "Y"
LADIES

MRS. M. Read laid the foundations for the smashing win for the "Y" Ladies over the Club de Recreio Ladies' second eleven by seven clean goals at King's Park yesterday when she netted five times in the first half. Miss Peggy McCaw, scored the remaining two goals after the teams had changed over.

Mrs. E. Thomson, at centre half, substituting for Miss S. Dalziel, the "Y" captain, played a very good game.

Miss E. Rosario was outstanding at centre-half for the Recreio Ladies', while Miss M. Almeida, inside right, and Miss T. Noronha and Miss O. Botelho also played well.

"Y" Ladies—J. Weller; M. Portillo, A. Fowler; M. Gardner, E. Thomas, B. Blumenthal; O. Dalziel, R. Blackmore, M. Read, P. McCaw and O. Brown.

Recreio "B"—G. Roza; T. Noronha, O. Botelho; M. Xavier, E. Rosario, E. Silva; M. Westerhout, Y. Britto, O. Botelho, A. Almeida and M. Figueiredo.

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ARMY BEAT CLUB

Triangular Rugby
Tourney Surprise.

LLOYD KICKS GOAL FOR
DECIDING POINTS

A penalty goal kicked by Pte. Lloyd gave the Army a sensational triumph over the Club by a penalty goal and a try (6 points) to a try (3 points) in the first match in the 1933-4 Triangular Rugby Tournament series at Sookunpoo yesterday.

Fully deserving their win the Army, who were best served by Gould, Martin, and Walker, were superior at forward, and their backs gave their best display of the season.

After a blank first half, in which Hobart was continually beating Bradford, for possession in the

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Prominent Navy Players Absent From Practice.

The Navy practice game was robbed of most of its interest by the fact that Lt. Forbes, Lt. Morris, Lt. Currie, Lt. Linton, and Lt. Evans were all absentees yesterday. The Whites, composed of the Navy backs and Army and Club forwards, beat the Blues by 16 points to 14.

W. E. Peers, the Club Inter-port forward who played wing three-quarter for the losers, scored two tries for the losers. The combination of Lt. Slater and Lt. St. Whittle, Yeomans, Timberlake, Clair Ford was the feature of the game.

SAINTS CHECKED BY POLICE

LINCOLNS AND S. CHINA WIN DECISIVELY

COURT RESPONSIBLE FOR BORDERERS' CHECK IN SECOND DIVISION

TWO GOALS IN THE LAST MINUTES OF THE MATCH BETWEEN THE POLICE AND ST. JOSEPH'S ROBBED THE SAINTS OF THE LEADERSHIP OF THE PREMIER SOCCER LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP YESTERDAY AT SOOKUNPOO. THE LINCOLNS EASILY ACCOUNTED FOR THE RECREIO AND THUS REGAINED THEIR POSITION AT THE TOP OF THE TABLE. THEY WILL MEET SOUTH CHINA, LEAGUE CHAMPIONS, AT SOOKUNPOO TO-DAY AT 4 P.M. WHEN A TITANIC STRUGGLE IS ANTICIPATED.

The Artillery revival was continued when they beat the East Lancs to advance a place in the table. The Kowloon side, aided by Yeomans, the Argyll's Inter-port centre half, collapsed against South China, who showed glimpses of their best form on the eve of the struggle which may quite easily determine the League title. The Club failed to show their true form and the Athletic proved deserving winners.

Clarke, the Lincolns centre forward who has scored 20 goals in the Third Division, netted four times against the Radio, who conceded eight goals. Court, presented with a penalty against the Athletic, failed to score, and the Borderers were forced to a foulless draw in the Second Division!

FIRST DIVISION.

South China Rout Kowloon.

GLIMPSES OF CHAMPIONS' FORMER DISPLAYS.

Losers' Weak Forwards.

At Caroline Hill, South China, League Champions, easily overcame Kowloon, winning by four clear goals.

Kowloon put up a very poor show and were mainly on the defensive throughout, the Chinese being definitely superior in all departments. The game was very one-sided and gave South China a chance to show that they have lost none of the "pattern-wenying" methods which were so successful last season. Should they reproduce this form in their game against the Lincolns at Sookunpoo to-day, they will most decidedly triumph.

Fung King-cheong gave a much improved display in partnership with Tam Kong-pak and Wong Mee-shun. Yeomans, the Argyll's ex-Inter-port pivot, was kept on the run by the quick and accurate passing of this trio. Fung sent out glorious passes to the wings and Tay Quee-lung played his best game to date.

Although the opposition was not the best, South China played delightful football. Their halves fed the forwards well, and Leung In-chun proved he is a suitable partner for Li Tin-sang. Lau Mau will find it hard to regain his place.

Kowloon were better served in defence than attack, Willia and Jones making many fine clearances, and Cord saving many difficult shots in fine style. Whitefield found Young Shui-yick too good for him, and the speed of Tay Quee-lung had Timberlake beaten on many occasions. Yeomans played very well indeed, working tirelessly throughout. The Kowloon forwards proved the weakest link. Bliss was wasted on the wing—he was too much inclined to wander into the centre and Lewis was forced to play a lone hand. Blake was the best forward, but in the second half Tong Kwan was accustomed to all the winger's tricks and often came off best.

After 15 minutes Tay Quee-lung scored a glorious goal when he rounded Willis with great swerve and beat Cord with a fast shot. A minute later Fung sent Tam Kong-pak through to beat the advancing Cord. Near the interval the Chinese went further ahead when Wong Mee-shun went through to score with a great shot.

The Chinese enjoyed all the play in the second half, and Fung King-cheong sent in a fast ground shot which passed underneath Cord's body.

South China:—Wong Wing; Leung In-chun, Li Ting-sang; Tong Kwan, Leung Wing-chui, Lai Kwok-wai; Young Shui-yick, Wong Mee-shun; Fung King-cheong, Tam Kong-pak and Tay Quee-lung.

Kowloon:—Cord; Willis, Jones, Leonard, Gossano (A.V.), Marques, Belkao and Elms; Lawrence, Ward, Leonard, Gossano (B) and Fernandes.

Dramatic Goals By Green.

POLICE RECOVERY AGAINST THE SAINTS

Game Of Missed Chances

A game which commenced timely between St. Joseph's League leaders and the Police concluded dramatically at Happy Valley yesterday. At the interval the score sheet was blank. The Saints then obtained two goals, and a win for them seemed a foregone conclusion.

During the last few minutes Green reduced the lead, and, with barely ten seconds to go, scored the equaliser, the whistle sounding before the ball could be returned to the centre of the field.

Play commenced in poor style,

the Saints being well below their usual standard. After midfield exchanges, Fernandez obtained possession, and raced through on his own, only to shoot across the goal.

Commencing the second half the

Saints attacked very strongly, and

during a scramble round the Police

goal Gossano (B) headed through

to give the Saints the lead. Fol-

lowing a nice movement, Ward

narrowly missed with a good drive.

At the other end Marques saved a

hot shot from Pile, and immedi-

ately after Green missed a glorious

CRAIGENGOWER HELD TO DRAW BY ROYAL NAVY

L. S. Peatfield Scores .46 For Home Team.

LOW SCORING LEAGUE GAME

REQUIRING 54 runs for victory with six wickets in hand when stumps were drawn Craigengower were forced to a draw at King's Park against the Royal Navy in the premier cricket league yesterday.

This was the Navy's second

draw—they had previously drawn

with the Army and lost to the

Club and the I.R.C. Craigengower

secured their first League point,

having lost to the Club and the

Indians.

Royal Navy

Lt. Marsham, bw, b Hubbard

Sub. Lt. Sinclair, b A. T. Lee

Larken, c F. K. Lee, b R.

Lee

Lt. Comdr. Stephenson, run out

L. S. Peatfield, c Lam, b Abbas

L. S. Suther, not out

Comdr. Lindsell, b A. T. Lee

L. Holland-Martin, b A. T. Lee

F/O. Morris, not out

Extras (B12, LB2)

Total (for 7 wkts. dec.) 154

L. A. C. Caghy and L. S. A.

Richards did not bat.

Fall of the wickets:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

1 37 41 128 135 135 135

Bowling Analysis

O. M. R. W.

CLUB 2 ATHLETIC

LINCOLNS 5 RECREIO

S. CHINA 2 KOWLOON

POLICE 2 ST. JOSEPH'S

ARTILLERY 3 EAST LANC'S

SECOND DIVISION

Y. INDIANS 5 NAVY

CLUB 0 KOWLOON

ATHLETIC 0 BORDERERS

THIRD DIVISION

RECREIO 4 ENGINEERS

BORDERERS 3 R.A.M.C.

RADIO 0 LINCOLNS

League Tables To Date

First Division

Goals

P. W. D L F A Pts

Lincolns 9 7 1 2 13 10 15

St. Joseph's 9 6 2 1 24 12 14

South China 8 6 1 1 25 9 13

Navy 8 5 2 1 25 17 25

Borders 7 5 0 2 27 12 10

Athletic 10 5 0 5 28 30 10

Club 10 4 1 5 26 26 9

Kowloon 9 2 1 6 13 24 5

Police 10 2 1 7 15 22 6

Artillery 9 2 0 7 15 23 4

East Lancs 4 1 1 2 9 9 3

Recreio 10 1 0 9 8 43 2

Kowloon 10 1 0 9 8 41 2

Third Division

Goals

P. W. D L F A Pts

Lincolns 11 11 0 0 57 42 22

Borderers 10 8 0 2 39 17 16

S. CHINA 9 6 1 2 19 10 13

R.A.M.C. 9 2 3 4 20 24 7

Engineers 8 3 1 4 21 30 7

R.A.F. 9 3 0 6 12 16 6

Radio 10 1 4 5 10 30 6

R.A.S.C. 7 2 2 3 4 15 6

Engines 7 1 2 4 14 23 4

University 7 0 1 6 7 36 1

Total (for 4 wkts.) ...

A. Hunt, R. Lee, T. Abbas,



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WIDNES UPSETS DAILY DOUBLE

(Continued from page 4.)

	Winner	Places
Hetman	619	410
Mon Tallaman	38	80
The Looser	23	41
Powerful King	19	44
Valley Hall	13	23
2.—2.30 P.M.—Tardy Stakes—		
Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "B" and "C" Classes, that have started in at least four Extra Race Meetings of this Club since 1st January, 1933, and have not won more than one race at Race Meetings of this Club this year. Weight for inches as per scale. "B" class ponies 1 lb. penalty for every \$300 or part thereof won in stakes since 1st January, 1933. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.		
Tally Ho's Daylight Eve 180 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard)	1	
Stephen Lam's Pride of Tsingtao 156 lb. (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 2		
Alison ran—Daylight Eve 160 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard); Pride of Tsingtao 166 lb. (Mr. Ip Kui Ying). 2 starters.		
Won by 5 lengths.		
Time: 2.05.2.		
Parl. mutuel, winner \$9.50; places, 1st \$11.00.		
Winner Places		
Pride of Tsingtao .. 593	91	
Daylight Eve .. 518	56	
3.—3.00 P.M.—Hong Kong Autumn Champions.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies that have started in at least four Extra Race Meetings of this Club since 1st January, 1933, two of such meetings previous to 1st July, 1933, and two subsequent to that date. Winners at Extra Race Meetings of this Club, 1933, only. Weight for inches as per scale. Entrance \$10. One and a Quarter Miles.		
Mr. A. M. L. Soares's Sadko 161 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares) 1		
Dynasty's King's Justice 168 lb (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 2		
2 Starters.		
Won by: 2 lengths.		
Time: 2.31.1.		
Parl.-mutuel, winner \$6.40; places, 1st \$7.50.		
Winner Places		
Sadko .. 272	80	
King's Justice .. 124	66	
4.—3.30 P.M.—Barrier Reef Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponies that have not won more than \$1,500 in stakes at Race Meetings of this Club since 1st January, 1933. Entrance \$5. One Mile.		
Quartmaster's Ration 164 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz) 1		
Wong Sui Ngau's Tecumseh 157 lb. (Mr. D. Black) 2		
Kong Bros' Evening Star 170 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 3		
Also ran—Changte 155 lb. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard); City of Melbourne 160 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares); Friar Tuck 165 lb. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram); Kilrea 138 lb. (Mr. B. A. Proulx); Mermaid 162 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler).		
8 Starters.		
Won by: a short head and half a length.		
Time: 1.55.3.		
Parl.-mutuel, winner \$100.20; places, 1st \$21.00; 2nd \$9.70; 3rd \$10.00.		
Winner Places		
Kilrea .. 657	687	
Changte .. 561	440	
Tecumseh .. 423	408	
Evening Star .. 345	301	
Mermaid .. 109	168	
Ration .. 101	121	
City of Melbourne .. 88	125	
Friar Tuck .. 18	32	
5.—5.00 P.M.—Dilatory Plate—		
Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "D" Class, that have started in at least four Extra Race Meetings of this Club since 1st January, 1933, and have not won more than one race at Race Meetings of this Club this year.		
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Kilrea .. 411		
Mermaid .. 61		
Ration (1st) .. 59		
Tecumseh .. 285		
2nd Selected Race		
Adam .. 2	0	2
African Eve .. 1	0	1
Aida .. 1	0	1
Ajax .. 0	1	0
Festival Eve .. 0	1	0
Glen Sheo .. 1	0	1
Helter Skelter .. 0	1	0
Maria Petra .. 0	1	0
Stickypast .. 0	1	0
Wembly Stag .. 0	1	0
Widnes (1st) .. 0	1	0
Weight for inches as per scale. 1 lb. penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in stakes since 1st January, 1933. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.		
Harriman & Pennack's Widnes 105 lb. (Mr. G. A. Harriman) 1		
Helenside's Heiter Skelter 102 lb (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 2		
Hall & Shenton's Wembly Stag 165 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost) 3		
Also ran—Adam 160 lb. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram); African Eve 157 lb. (Mr. F. M. L. Soares); Aida 156 lb. (Mr. D. Black); Ajax 164 lb. (Mr. N. Deltz); Festival Eve 159 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler); Glen Sheo 164 lb. (Mr. R. A. Carroll); Maria Petra 158 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Stickypast 161 lb. (Mr. B. A. Proulx).		
11 Starters.		
Parl.-mutuel, winner \$104.60; places, 1st \$22.00; 2nd \$18.00; 3rd \$8.20.		
Winner Places		
Wembly Stag .. 705	634	
African Eve .. 123	467	
Festival Eve .. 470	400	
Ajax .. 467	881	
Helter Skelter .. 203	238	
Widnes .. 86	115	
Adam .. 83	131	
Stickypast .. 78	85	
Maria Petra .. 29	48	
Aida .. 19	17	
Glen Sheo .. 8	11	
8. 4.00 P.M.—The Professional Cup and Subscription Griffins Champions.—A Sweepstakes of \$25 each for Starters. A cup presented, \$500 to the Winner by the donor and \$1,000 added. Second \$500. Third \$300. To be won two years in succession or three years in all by Ponies the bona fide property of the same owner or owners. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season.		
Winners at Race Meetings of this Club only. Weight for inches as per scale. One and a Quarter Miles.		
Lancashire's Warrington 162 lb (Mr. L. G. Frost) 1		
Lan's Partnership 152 lb. (Mr. S. Y. Liang) 2		
Messars. Lewis & Tinson's De Minimis 152 lb. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 3		
10 Starters.		
Parl.-mutuel, winner \$104.60; places, 1st \$22.00; 2nd \$18.00; 3rd \$8.20.		
Winner Places		
Wembly Stag .. 705	634	
African Eve .. 123	467	
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Stickypast .. 78	85	
Maria Petra .. 29	48	
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Glen Sheo .. 8	11	
8. 4.30 P.M.—Finale Plate.—Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season, that have started in at least four Extra Race Meetings of this Club, and have not won more than \$1,500 in stakes at Race Meetings of this Club. Weight 146 lb. 1 lb. penalty for every \$100 or part thereof won in stakes at Race Meetings of this Club. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. One Mile.		
H. S. Chan's Flying Boy 165 lb (Mr. R. A. Carroll) 1		
Lan's Darien 165 lb. (Mr. W. H. Choy) 2		
H. L.'s Black Velvet 148 lb. (Mr. C. Taylor) 3		
Also ran—Baguio 162 lb. (Mr. Yue Shan Wa); Black Rock 156 lb. (Mr. P. P. Botelho); Good Sport 146 lb. (Mr. H. M. Remedios); Paul Jones 157 lb. (Mr. J. C. A. Ingram); Ta Peastic 146 lb. (Mr. T. P. Saunderson); The Goat 161 lb. (Mr. D. Black); White Butterfly 156 lb. (Mr. S. W. Tang).		
10 Starters.		
Won by: 2 1/2 lengths and 2 lengths.		
Time: 2.09.3.		
Parl.-mutuel, winner \$25.00; places, 1st \$9.20; 2nd \$10.50; 3rd \$26.00.		
Winner Places		
The Goat .. 686	607	
Black Rock .. 882	874	
Flying Boy .. 448	405	
Darien .. 859	816	
Paul Jones .. 172	147	
White Butterfly .. 115	104	
Baguio .. 76	105	
Good Sport .. 41	38	
Ta Peastic .. 10	14	
HOW JOCKEYS FARED		
A. J. P. Heard .. 1	2	0
L. G. Frost .. 2	0	2
N. Deltz .. 1	0	1
R. A. Carroll .. 1	0	1
G. A. Harriman .. 1	0	2
F. M. L. Soares .. 1	0	3
Y. T. Fung .. 0	1	0
W. H. Choy .. 0	1	0
Q. Y. Liang .. 0	1	0
Io Kui Ying .. 0	1	0
E. O. Butler .. 0	1	0
D. Black .. 0	1	0
B. A. Proulx .. 0	2	3
C. Taylor .. 0	0	1
H. P. Chapman .. 0	1	0
Yue Shan Wa .. 0	0	1
H. M. H. Remedios .. 0	0	1
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Our professional Army, which was never anything more than an imperial police-force, has been cut down. We have lost that supremacy at sea which was our safeguard in times gone by. Worst of all, our Air Force—now the first line of defence, not only of these islands but of the merchant shipping on which we rely for our very existence—has been so reduced that it is hardly large enough to do battle with a Balkan State.

The British public's indifference to its danger is due to the fact that it regards national defence as a technical question which may be safely left to military experts.

Our national history supplies ample evidence that such confidence is unfounded.

Major-General J. E. C. Fuller, one of the ablest of military thinkers, with a most distinguished war record, has frankly stated that:

"In the past we have lulled ourselves to sleep on dogmas, and have been rudely awakened by realities which we have never troubled to foresee. Though we are soldiers, professing soldiership, most of us know no more about the science of war than a chimpanzee knows about the science of dynamics."

The one thing certain about the next war is that it will be totally different from the last. Modern scientific invention moves at such a pace that military practice needs to be constantly transformed in order to keep up.

When this is not done, costly lessons have to be learnt in the course of hostilities. The outbreak of the last war was followed by a tragic series of such discoveries. We were short of machine guns, short of heavy field artillery, short of the right kind of shell.

In the next war going to find us even more unprepared?

I say with complete conviction

that if we do not immediately equip ourselves with an adequate Air Force this country will, at the very outset of another European conflict, be in deadly danger not only of defeat but of virtual annihilation.

Perhaps at this moment WAR has once more escaped from its lair and is moving towards the peoples with giant strides.

Terror From The Air.

If so, we may be sure that it will present itself in a new and more terrible form. The campaigns of the past have begun with mobilisation, with the gradual concentration, equipment, and advance of great masses of men. In 1914 it was three weeks after the declaration of war that the first shot was fired by a British soldier in France.

That was the last war that will start that way. Next time, immediately war is declared, the commander-in-chief of the enemy will press a button, and 20,000—perhaps 50,000—aeroplanes laden with bombs and gas will rise into the air and set off at more than 200 miles an hour to rain destruction on this country.

Unless we are ready to meet such an attack, the war—and Britain's existence as a Great Power—will end that same day.

The invading aerial army would have scores of different objectives. Some squadrons would strike directly at our great cities. Fire, destruction, and clouds of poison-gas would in a few moments reduce them from the orderly communities we know to a pandemonium of panic. The roads leading out into the open country would be blocked with fugitives fighting each other to escape from such devastation as the world has never seen.

Starvation Menace.

Those who remained behind, even if they survived the aerial bombardment, would be almost at once confronted with starvation for the markets which supply the

daily needs of those vast centres of population would have been destroyed or hopelessly disorganized.

The railways would cease to function for other detachments of the air-raiders would smash the termini, the goods stations, and the junctions which are essential to their working.

The London docks, the main gateway for the imported food and other merchandise necessary to our existence, would be rendered unapproachable for shipping. All British vessels in the narrow seas surrounding these islands would be in immediate danger of being torpedoed, not by submarines groping almost blindly under water but by seaplanes pouncing them out from high overhead and swooping down to sink them at point-blank range.

What could battleships at Plymouth, Portsmouth or the Firth of Forth do to ward off this swiftly moving, all-pervading onslaught from the air? They themselves would be almost helpless targets for the swarms of aircrafts that would be constantly attacking them. If they made for the open sea they would be hunted like rats until their destruction had been achieved.

Military centres like Aldershot, Salisbury Plain, and Catterick could be turned into death-traps for the troops that would be concentrating there. Munition works would be wrecked before they had begun to operate. The whole of the damage that the most ruthless of invading armies would need weeks to perpetrate could be accomplished in a few hours by mass-attacks from the air.

People who think that an attack upon these Islands by 20,000 aeroplanes is impossible are simply fooling themselves. Our own Air Force possessed 22,171 machines in October 1918. If the war had lasted another six months it would have had 50,000 in service. And, of all instruments of war, aeroplanes are the easiest to manufacture swiftly and secretly.

Mass Plane Production.

They can be turned out in series as simply as motor-cars. If one single works in Detroit has produced 20,000 motor-cars a week there is nothing to prevent any highly industrialised country from bringing a huge air fleet into existence before the rest of the world has any inkling of it.

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WISE & OTHERWISE



TOUCHY.

The doctor who was described as a lady-killer and issued a writ for libel.

NEXT, PLEASE!

A Japanese claims to have invented a silent machine gun. Now for some one who'll invent a silent sergeant-major!

SIMPLE.

Reports from the United States say Henry Ford is wondering how he can make motoring still easier. Knock off those last three instalments, Henry!

MY EXCUSE.

A clergyman has been complaining about men who take their wives to night-clubs. Personally, it's about the only place left to go by the time she's ready.

CLOSE-UP.

Passport Officer: Married? Film Actress: Yes; my marriage lines are in those two trunks.

WARNING.

A geologist, says a writer, is one to whom a thousand years is a mere nothing. Moral: Do not lend money to a geologist.

Ole-O-lay.
"Not a life!" moaned the much-married bookmaker, "laying the tall woman has the brightest disadvantage."

IT'S SURE WAS!

At one time the Americans spoke pure English, I read. But that was hundreds of years ago.

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According to an expert, more than 700 different games can be played with a single pack of cards. And then there is my wife's bridge.

MOTTO FOR COALMEN.

Before marriage a woman is a miss; afterwards often, a misery.

He Swore by False Profits.

The company promoter who issued false balance-sheets.

It's never too late to send.

ROTEN.

A man who set up a new record played billiards for two and a half days without a break. I am no good either.

MEDICAL PRICE-CUTTING.

"Sovereign cure," states a headline. This is a change from Harry-street, where they usually charge fifty guineas.

My Dame Typist.

Thinks that the Master of the Rolls is the Court Baker.

OH, VERY SMART.

The number of marriages has fallen by twenty-five per cent. in the past year. Another depression over the British Isles.

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The song hit of the season.

LITTLE THOUGHT.

From the midlands comes a report of a woman who has left her husband six times and returned as easily as they change husbands every time with a week. The poor fellow, we understand, continues to At Last.

AN INSULT?

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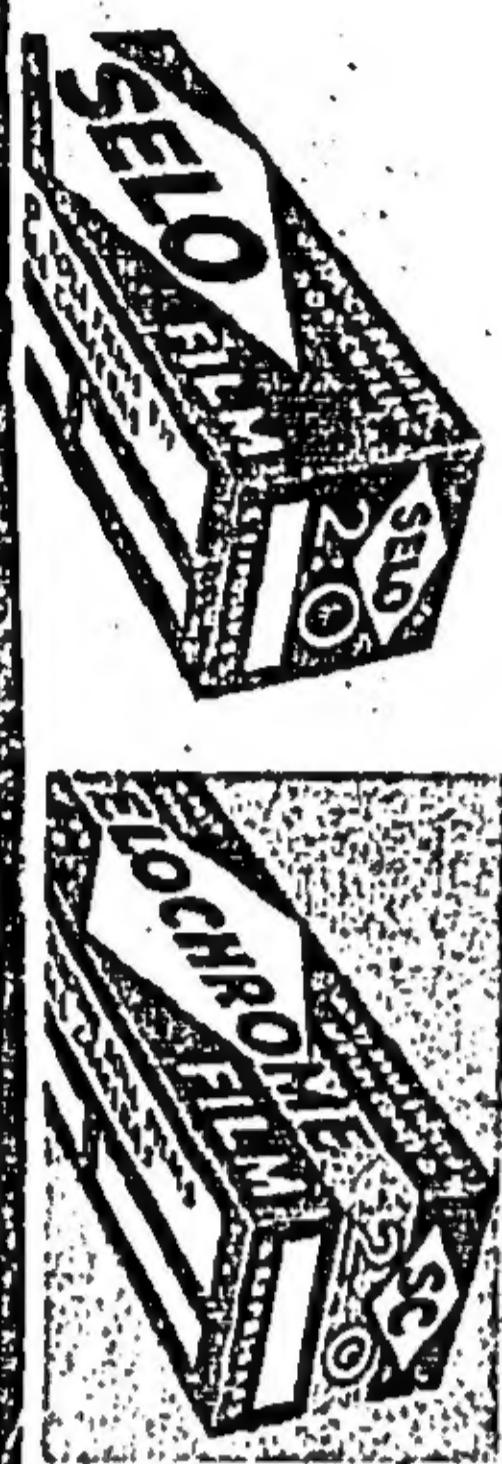
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"Everywhere one sees, not Disarmament, but re-armament going on—except in Germany," he exclaimed.

"We cannot and will not abandon hope that an understanding is possible."

"It is impossible to divide the world for all eternity into victors and vanquished."

"Germany is ready and determined to co-operate in the solution of this great crisis to the best of her ability."

Declaring that the words "revenge" and "war" must be expunged from the international vocabulary, the Germany Minister challenged his audience to point to a single act on the part of Herr Hitler or his government that would justify war suspicion.

Dr. Goebbels frankly admitted that in the course of the national revolution in Germany, anti-Jewish "incidents" caused by "uncontrollable elements" might occasionally have occurred, but, he added, "one has to remember that the Jews in Germany at that time were exercising a decisive influence on the whole intellectual life of the nation."

He went on to twit foreign nations with protesting against Germany's "defensive" action in this respect, and at the same time being unwilling to absorb the Jews who emigrated from Germany.

Dr. Goebbels also spoke of the German conception of democracy. To suggest that the people should govern themselves was completely to misinterpret the principle of democracy, he argued. Peoples could not and did not want to govern themselves, he continued. Their sole desire was to be well-governed and in this respect the German nation was a happy one.—Reuter.

THE HORRORS OF THE NEXT WAR

(Continued from Page 6.)

M. Georges Mandel, who was the closest associate of Clemenceau during the historic war-Presidency of that great French statesman, warned the Chamber of Deputies last Thursday that "Germany is building bombing aeroplanes, and is in a position to turn out 2,500 machines a month."

A great deal of nonsense is talked about the impossibility of finding pilots for such an Air Force. Any intelligent and fit young man can be taught to fly an aeroplane in fortnight. Hundreds of them have learnt in this country during their spare time in summer evenings. At the beginning of the last war, five hours' solo flying qualified a pilot to go on active service. Even in 1917 the minimum required before proceeding to France was only 35 hours. A nation like Germany, with hundreds of thousands of trained, disciplined, and keen young athletes, could create an efficient Air Force in a few weeks.

Too Many Old Ideas.
Old-fashioned, pre-war ideas about flying are far too prevalent in this country. We talk of a mass aerial invasion as if it were as improbable as a visitation from Mars. It is, in point of fact, a perfectly practicable present-day enterprise.

Britain will never know security until she has the strongest Air Force in Europe. We have been gambling for years upon the totally baseless assumption that other nations would reduce their aerial armaments. They are steadily increasing them.

As far back as February 1932 the Government, in introducing the Air Estimates, said:

"Despite general recognition of the growing dependence of the British Empire on air power, no one can say, the serious disparity between the first-line

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 K.C.s.):—

9.15-10 a.m.—A relay of the Military Parade Service from St. John's Cathedral.

Voluntary—Chant des voyageurs (Bacalossi).

Hymn—No. 218—"God of Mercy"

Prayers—Vesper

Lesson—Psalm No. 8

Benediction

Credit—Prayer.

Hymn—No. 162—"Three in One"

Address—"Bent and Battered Coins"

Preacher—The Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan, B.A., S.C.F., C.E.

Hymn—No. 300—"All Hall the Power!"

National Anthem

Benediction

Voluntary—March San Salvatora,

No. 2 (Hantex)

10 a.m.—Close Down.

11.15-12.15 p.m.—A relay of the Service from St. John's Cathedral.

12.15-2.30 p.m.—European recorded programme.

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.

Relay of Organ Recital from St. John's Cathedral.

Three Studio Items To-night.

4.30-7.30 p.m.—Chinese programme.

7.30-10 p.m.—European programme.

7.30-8 p.m.—From the Studio.

Selections by the "Rose Room All Star Blue Five"

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8.30-8.33 p.m.—A relay of the Organ Recital by Mr. Frederick Mason, A.L.C.O., L.T.C.L., from St. John's Cathedral.

Programme.

1. Choral Prelude on "Wachet auf" (Mendelssohn)

2. A carol of the Nativity—(John Ireland)

3. And the Glory of the Lord (Handel)

4. Petite Pastorale (Ravel)

5. Minuet from "Serenade" (Handel)

6. "Hallelujah" (Chorus) (Handel)

8.33-8.45 p.m.—Selected pieces of Victor Herbert's Music, arranged by the Victoria Group and Orchestra conducted by Nathaniel Shilkret.

Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life

Selections from "Naughty Marietta"

Selections from "Sweethearts"

Selections from "The Red Mill"

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Air de Ballet—and—Al Fresco.

9.30-9.45 p.m.—From the Studio.

A Recital of Beethoven's Sonatas by Luba Shafrazi.

Programme

Sonata Op. 10 No. 4.

Allegro.

Allegretto.

Presto.

Sonata Op. 100 No. 30.

Vivace

Prestissimo.

Andante cantabile.

Variations.

9.20-9.35 p.m.—Tannhauser—Venusberg Music (Bacchanale) (Wagner)

Bruno Walter conducting the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra.

9.35-10 p.m.—A Radio Playlet from the Studio.

"Room 29"

10 p.m.—Close Down.

MARRIAGE EPIDEMIC IN BOSNIA

Bosnia. Jajica, in Bosnia, was proud of its Bachelors Club—until a marriage epidemic struck down all the members.

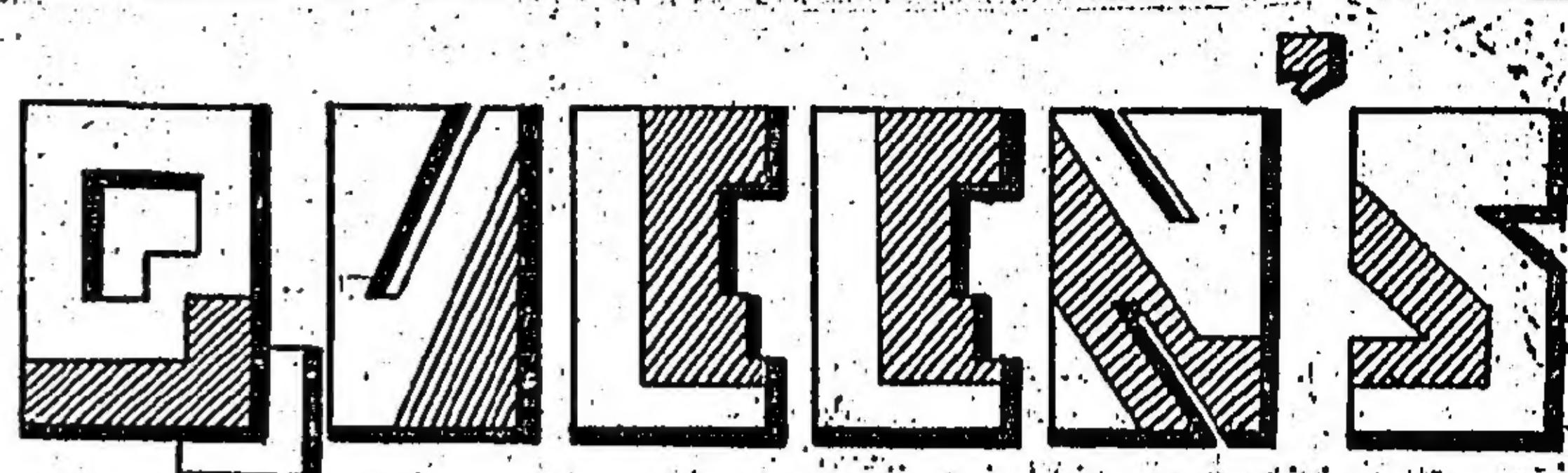
The last nail was hammered into the club's coffin when its 60-year old President eloped with a 19-year-old singer from one of the local cafes.—Reuter.

strength of the Royal Air Force and foreign air services remains . . . His Majesty's Government would view the situation with anxiety but for their earnest hope and expectation that the Disarmament Conference will bring about a reduction in armaments."

This was 21 months ago, and there are still foolish people looking for some practical results from that conference.

We cannot afford to go on being defended merely by "earnest hope and expectations" that have no foundation of fact. Until we have an initial 5,000 war-planes we shall be in the gravest danger from the air.

Not a penny should be spent on increasing any other form of national armaments until this wide breach in our defences has been closed. In Great Britain, as in France, powerful vested interests, professional and industrial, have grown up around the Navy and Army. These can pull many strings to divert the nation's money to those purposes with which they are identified. Such pressure must be firmly resisted. The nation's need is aircraft. It can no longer be neglected. Otherwise, we shall expose ourselves and our country to terrible disaster.



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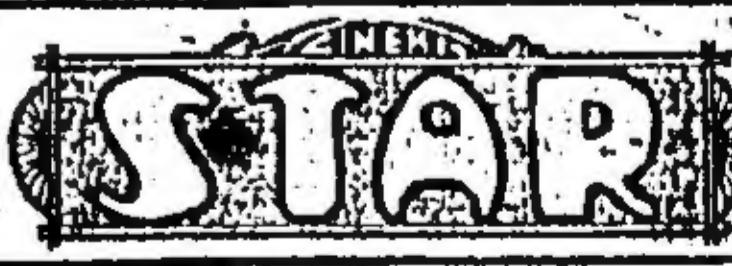
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Aviation In The Far East.

LONG apathetic to aviation matters Hong Kong is at last becoming aware of the increasing importance of flying, and the development of Kai Tak as a first-class airport, the establishment of a flying school next year and the negotiations now being conducted for air services connecting Hong Kong with the air routes to Singapore and Hanoi should soon result in the entry of the Colony into the commercial aviation arena. But the delay consequent upon the past lethargic attitude may prove costly in view of the competition of those nations who, through enterprise and initiative, have gained a firm footing in Far Eastern aviation. An idea of the calibre of the foreign challenge may be gained from yesterday's cabled announcement that a Dutch air mail liner attempted to fly from Amsterdam to the Dutch East Indies in three-and-a-half days. In range, speed, and efficiency, flying aircraft are advancing with astonishing rapidity in Europe and America, and more recently in Britain especially. It is clear that the coming linking of Eastern Asia and Australia to the Anglo-Indian air-route is of vast commercial importance. The Singapore-Australia section of the longest world air-route is of great concern to Britain, and it is not merely the eagerness of Imperial Airways to have a hand in the Australian contract which arouses desire overseas for utmost efficiency in the new service. British business firms are interested in the closer mail and passenger contact quite as ardently as Australia can be. As a cognate example, the Manchester Chamber of Commerce is agitating for the speediest opening of air-mails past Singapore to China in aid of British cotton exports, thus beating American mail connections with the China coast. Air services are rapidly becoming essential to modern trade. The Dutch did not offer a subsidy-free air service from Australian cities through Batavia to Europe simply as an act of neighbourly charity. Trading nations are vying hour at night time, they must steer with each other with tremendous energy for air transport custom. Many schemes are now being considered for the cross-Atlantic air service, which has now become a practical aim. The high speed and reliability nowadays achieved through engine improvement and aircraft design have brought within view the regular spanning of the Atlantic as the next great British enterprise. The Germans have started an Africa-Brazil service, with a stationary ship as aerodrome midway. The Americans propose to attempt a North Atlantic service with the aid of anchored floating aerodromes. British enterprise, however, is aiming at non-stop flying-boat services to Bermuda and Newfoundland. The launching at Hull a few weeks ago of a 17-ton "flying battleship" for the Royal Air Force is a sign of what is coming. It mounts a gun firing high-explosive shells at the rate of one hundred a minute, and will fly at a speed of 132 miles an hour, with a range up to 1,500 miles. Apart from its significance as a fighting machine, there is provocative food for thought in the possibilities of ocean air services with such new flying boats — or, rather, flying ships. An American air-mail company already runs a flying-boat service through the West Indies to South America, and with this company the British Imperial Airways company is proposing to co-operate with a trans-Atlantic service to Bermuda, Bermuda becoming an international airport. Already the eastern Mediterranean is lined with flying-boat services — Italian lines, especially, along the northern littoral through Greece to Constantinople, and British services on the Imperial routes from Egypt via Athens to Brindisi, and to Brindisi direct. The flying boat is the naturally more reliable aircraft for traffic in the Pacific. From Calcutta eastward, and especially from Calcutta to Singapore, is possibly one of the most trying flying stretches anywhere in the world, because of the annual monsoonal storms and rainfall. The crew of the Astraea, the R.A.F. machine which recently made a trial flight from England to Australia, noted, as have all earlier flying men, the perils of land marches over the jungles and high mountains in Malaya and Siam, where no emergency landing ground is possible for hundreds of miles. Even aerodromes are frequently waterlogged. Flying out of Finland's timber.

It is estimated that the canal would transport 950,000 tons of goods annually and give an outlet for Viborg. Incoming tariffs, it is estimated, would yield £32,000 annually. The ability of service is of greater importance than any other factor, and it seems certain that ultimately the Calcutta-China and canal would also have great strategic value in wartime. Route Caleutta-Darwin's route must be developed as the Mediterranean and West Indian services have been developed by supersonic craft.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE FUNCTIONS

Many Social Activities During Week.

TWO DIPLOMATS ENTERTAINED

The social activities of His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., and Lady Peel, and the Government House functions for the week ending yesterday, are shown in the following official communiqué issued from Government House, yesterday.

December 10. — His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel, attended by Capt. R. F. Walter, attended the meet of the Fanling Hunt.

December 11. — The Hon. Sir Thomas and Lady Southorn had lunch and tea at Government House.

December 12. — His Excellency Sir Francis Lindley and Miss Lindley arrived at Government House. His Excellency and Lady Peel attended the annual meeting of the Society for the Protection of Children at the Cathedral Hall. His Excellency taking the chair. The following dined at Government House: — H.E. Sir Francis Lindley, G.C.M.G., C.B., C.B.E. and Miss Lindley, Hon. Sir Thomas Southorn, K.B.E., C.M.G., and Lady Southorn. Sir John Brian, K.C.M.G. and Lady Brian, Mr. W. H. S. Dent and Baroness Furnival.

December 15. — Sir Miles Lampson, K.C.M.G., C.B., M.V.O., and Miss Lampson arrived at Government House. Sir Francis Lindley and Miss Lindley left Government House. The following dined at Government House: — Vice Admiral Berthold, Sir Miles Lampson, K.C.M.G., C.B., M.V.O. and Miss Lampson, H.E. the General Officer Commanding and Mrs. Borrett, Mons. and Madame de la Prado, Mr. H. Phillips, C.M.G., C.B.E., Commodore Elliott, O.B.E., R.N. and Mrs. Elliott, Hon. Sir Thomas Southorn, K.B.E., C.M.G. and Lady Southorn, Hon. Sir H. Pollock, K.C. and Lady Pollock, Hon. Sir Shouson Chow, Kt., Hon. Mr. C. G. S. Mackie and Mrs. Mackie, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lander, Col. and Mrs. Nosworthy, Captain and Mrs. Poland, Captain Blehaut, Captain Homburg, Captain and Mrs. Benn, Col. and Mrs. L. G. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Gipperich, Mr. and Mrs. Schultz, Miss Phipps, Lieut. Cherdell, Payr. Comdr. F. R. Porter, R.N., Capt. F. R. L. Mearns, Mr. W. J. R. Craig and Mr. J. C. Richardson.

December 16. — Sir Miles Lampson and Miss Lampson left Government House. His Excellency and Lady Peel, attended by Mr. J. C. Richardson and Mr. J. G. Fletcher, were present at the 18th Extra Race Meeting.

SHIPS STEER BY
HOTEL LIGHT.Peculiar Position At
Esperance Harbour.

Perth, West Australia.

Mariners of old steered by the stars. Most mariners to-day steer by the compass, but if mariners want to get into Esperance Harbour at night time, they must steer by the light in the window of the Esperance Hotel.

That was told by a deputation to the Minister for Works, Mr. McCallum.

The General Manager of Westralian Farmer, Ltd. (Mr. J. Thomson) said that masters of incoming ships had to fix their bearings at night by the juxtaposition of a solitary red light at the end of the jetty to a light shining from Hotel window on shore.

"If it's after hours then the ship puts out to sea until sunrise," explained Mr. Thomson. — Reuters.

£2,000,000 CANAL FOR
FINLAND.105-Mile Project Will
Assist Commerce.

Helsingfors.

Plans and estimates have been completed for the proposed construction of a £2,000,000 canal stretching 105 miles and connecting Lake Ladoga and the Baltic port of Viborg.

It is estimated that the canal would transport 950,000 tons of goods annually and give an outlet for Viborg.

Socialist members have, however, been seen in their shirt-sleeves pointing their arguments with their up-stems in Standing Committee of the House of Commons.

Procedure text-books say nothing about smoking in a lecture room.

With the chairman. And many argue that business goes better in

a smoke-clouded room.

LONDON

TOPICS

from OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

London, November 29.

Lady Hastings And Archer.

Thomas Gray and Fives. The literature of the game of Fives—whether the complicated Eton variety, originally played against the Chapel walls, or the simpler Rugby one—is limited.

This is brought home by reading Elizabeth Lady Hastings's estimate of Archer in Mr. E. M. Humphreys's "Life." She said:

"Archer was great enough to have the truth told about him. He had not always told a nice expression, indeed, at times I think it was almost diabolical."

"Nearly all Archer's acquaintances were, to put it vulgarly, titled people, and he practically spent his life among them. People in society went simply mad about him and hunted after him. It was their fault more than his; they would not let him alone,

"... And through all the flattery and absurdity of all those ridiculous women his manners remained quite unsophisticated—just perfection."

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"Capping" Hunting Motorists.

The proposal of Lord Guilford, the Master of the East Kent, to levy subscriptions on the army of motorists who follow hounds strikes a new note in hunting administration.

The scheme, which advocates a seasonal subscription of three guineas from motoring sightseers and a "cap" of half a crown from non-subscribers, is an attempt both to mitigate a long-standing nuisance and to raise funds for a struggling Hunt.

It is an ingenious idea, and it may succeed. It is suggested to Lord Guilford that he should at once appoint a field-motor-Master to lead the sightseers in his own car and to prevent them from heading foxes. By combining the virtues of a diplomat and a guide, he would add both to the pleasure of the motorist and to the funds of the Hunt.

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"Ranjil's" Thameside Home.

The sale, which has now been completed, of James's House, Ranjitsinhji's riverside house at Staines, will awaken pleasant memories among the great cricketer's friends.

It was here that, with his parrot Popsy and his Indian servants in attendance, he loved to entertain the cricket companions of his early days.

He bought the place from Sir Edward Clarke for £30,000 in 1913, amount on improving it.

His rose gardens were unsurpassed. His lawn tennis court, laid down with the finest Cumberland bowling-green turf, was as good as the Centre Court at Wimbledon.

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University Hooligans.

The behaviour of the Oxford and Cambridge undergraduates who made violent pacifist demonstrations, which in one case ended in a free fight, round their respective war memorials on Armistice Day is a disgrace to every member of both Universities.

Whatever a man's political views, decency requires him to show reverence to the memory of those who were killed in the war. To provoke a brawl when they are being honoured is a squalid piece of bad manners.

Since the university authorities seem unable to control these young hooligans' excesses, it has been suggested that their fellow undergraduates procure some tar. The pacifists already have the feathers.

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Royal Medals for Poetry.

The institution of King's Medals for poetry is a pleasing novelty, and many will look forward with eagerness to the first awards.

The committee is a strong one, having the Poet Laureate as chairman, Dr. Farnell, when he was Vice-chancellor, banned by Miss Maude Royden and Dr. Mario Stoppo in this way.

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Mr. Churchill's Cigar.

It is recorded that Mr. Churchill smoked a big cigar when giving his evidence before the India Joint Select Committee. Such indulgence for a witness is unusual.

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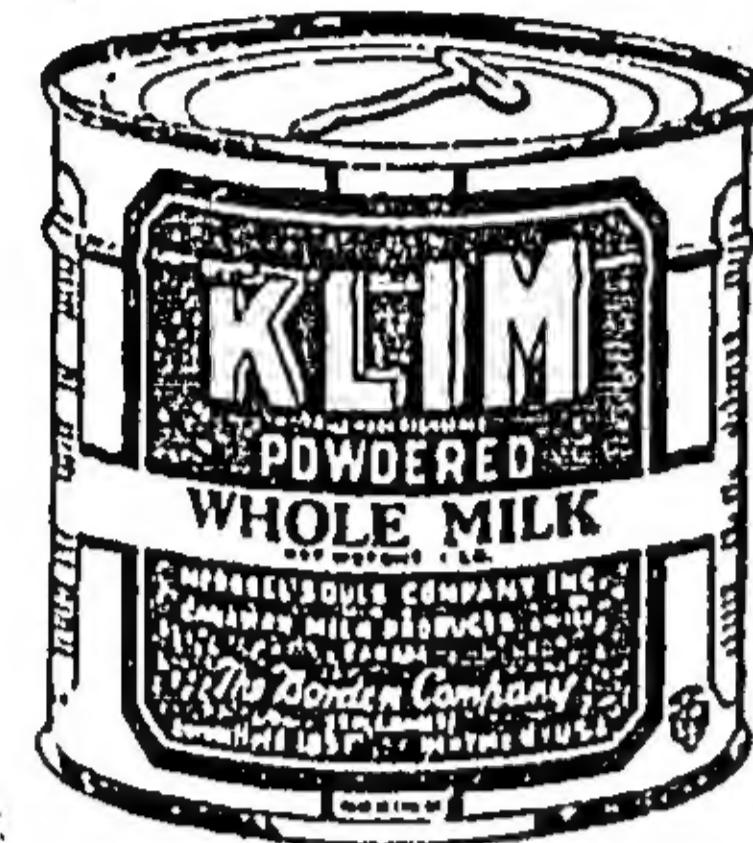
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A fashionable wedding took place last week at St. John's Cathedral, when Miss Pamela Poland, daughter of Captain Alan Poland, of H.M.S. Medway; and Mr. Alan Poland became the wife of Commander Charles Thorburn Addis, R.N., of H.M.S. Medway, son of Sir Charles and Lady Addis.



Commander C. T. Addis, with his bride, Miss Pamela Poland walking under an archway of swords formed by the bridegroom's brother officers.—(King's Studio).



(Above) Bridal group taken on the occasion of the marriage of Miss Annie Lau and Mr. Solomon Rafeek which took place at 25, Caine Road on December 10.



(At right) Miss Annie Lau and Mr. Solomon Rafeek after their wedding last Sunday. Miss Lau is the well-known swimmer.



(At left) Four keen members of the Kowloon Golf Club, Misses Cave, Purves, Munby and Deans.



More than 500 Roman Catholic Pilgrims from Hong Kong and Macao visited Sunbeam Island last week-end to visit the shrine of St. Francis Xavier. This photograph shows a group of the pilgrims taken on the island near the shrine.



"Turkey Trot." A bevy of beauty with fine specimens of turkeys. —(S. & G.).



Very intriguing is this afternoon ensemble in golden brown ring velvet with barrel mink and cap trimmed mink fur. Note the interesting ruched sleeves.—(S. & G.).

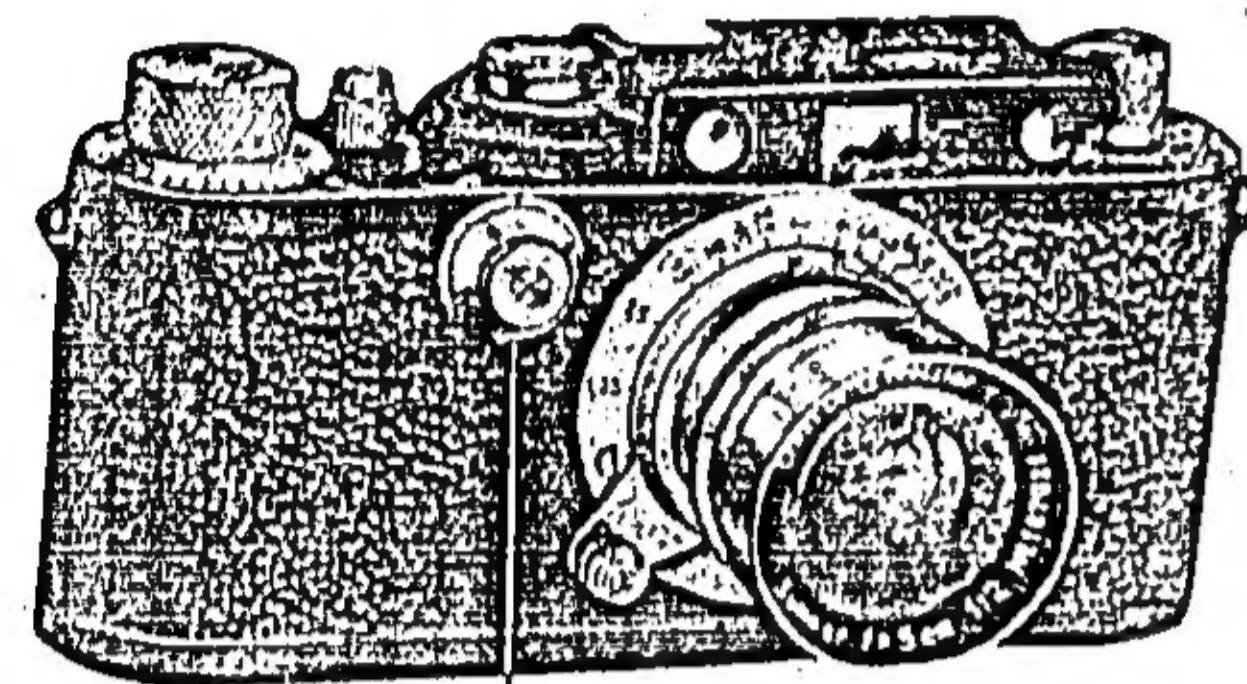
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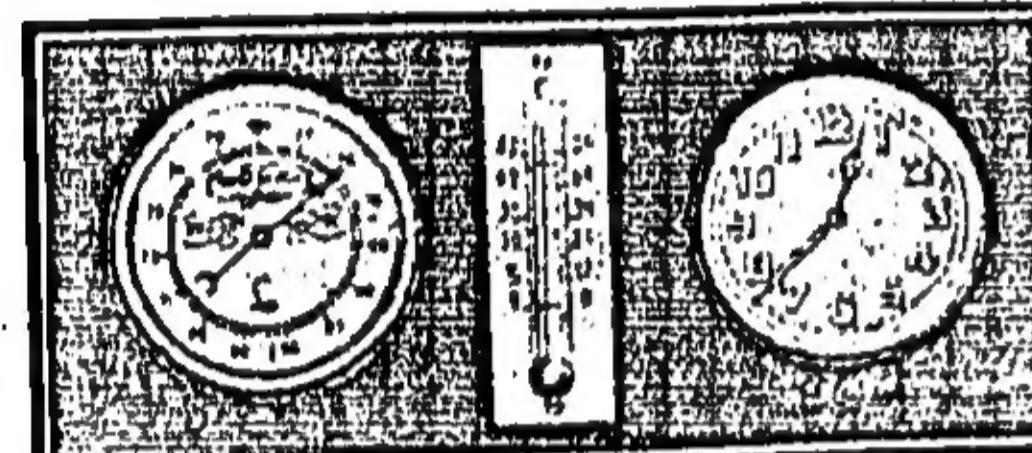
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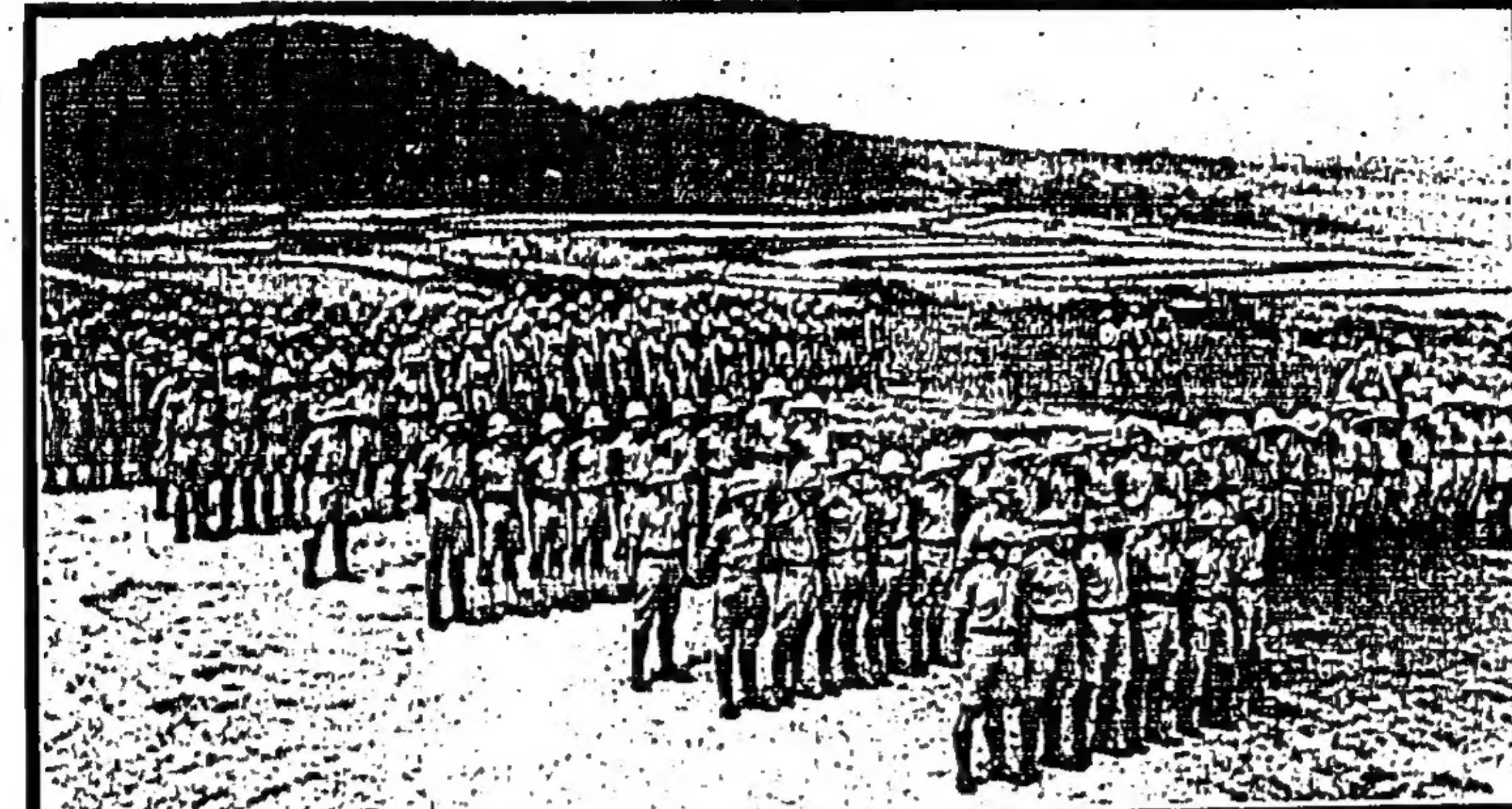
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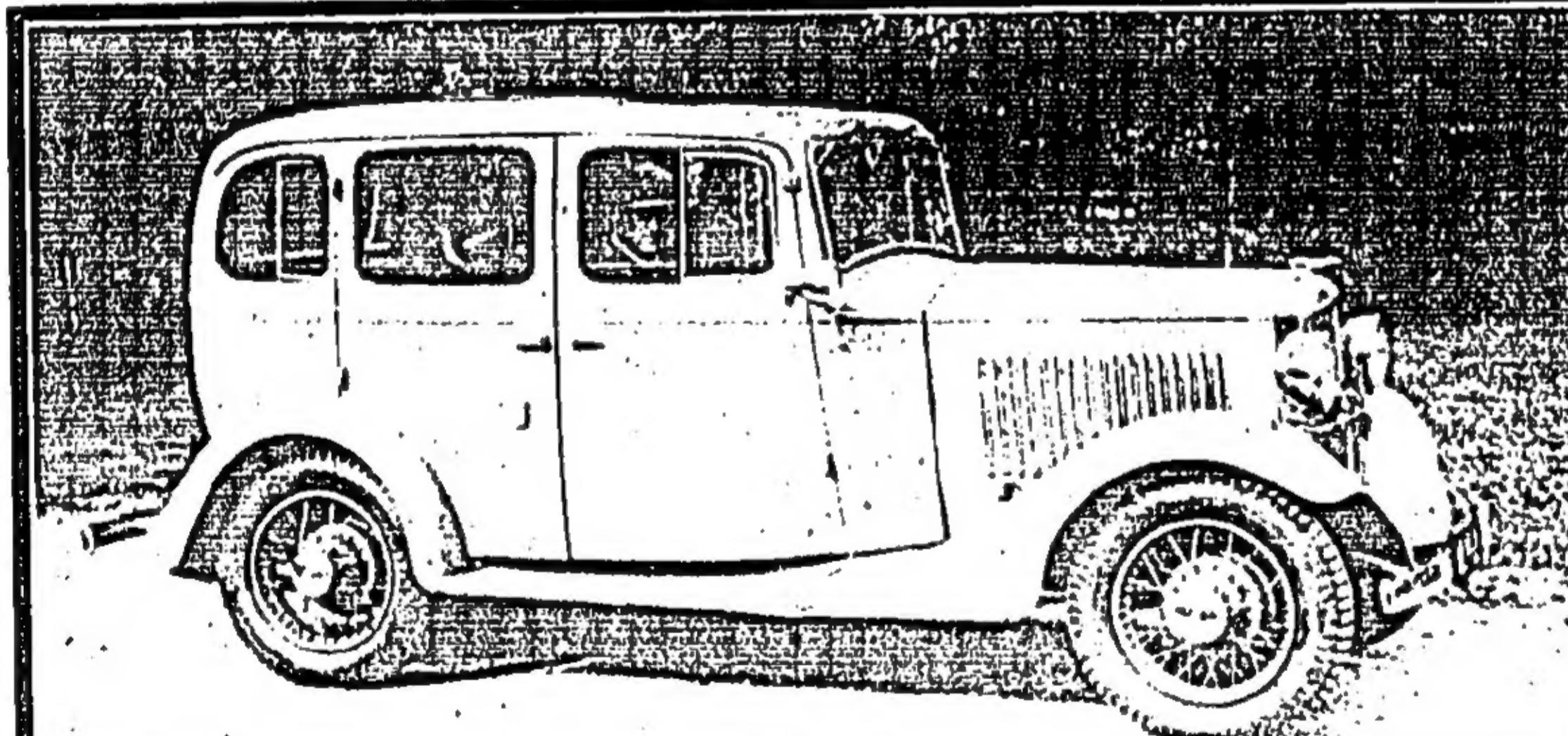
Mass parade of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps Units on the parade ground at Kowloon Camp.—(King's Studio).



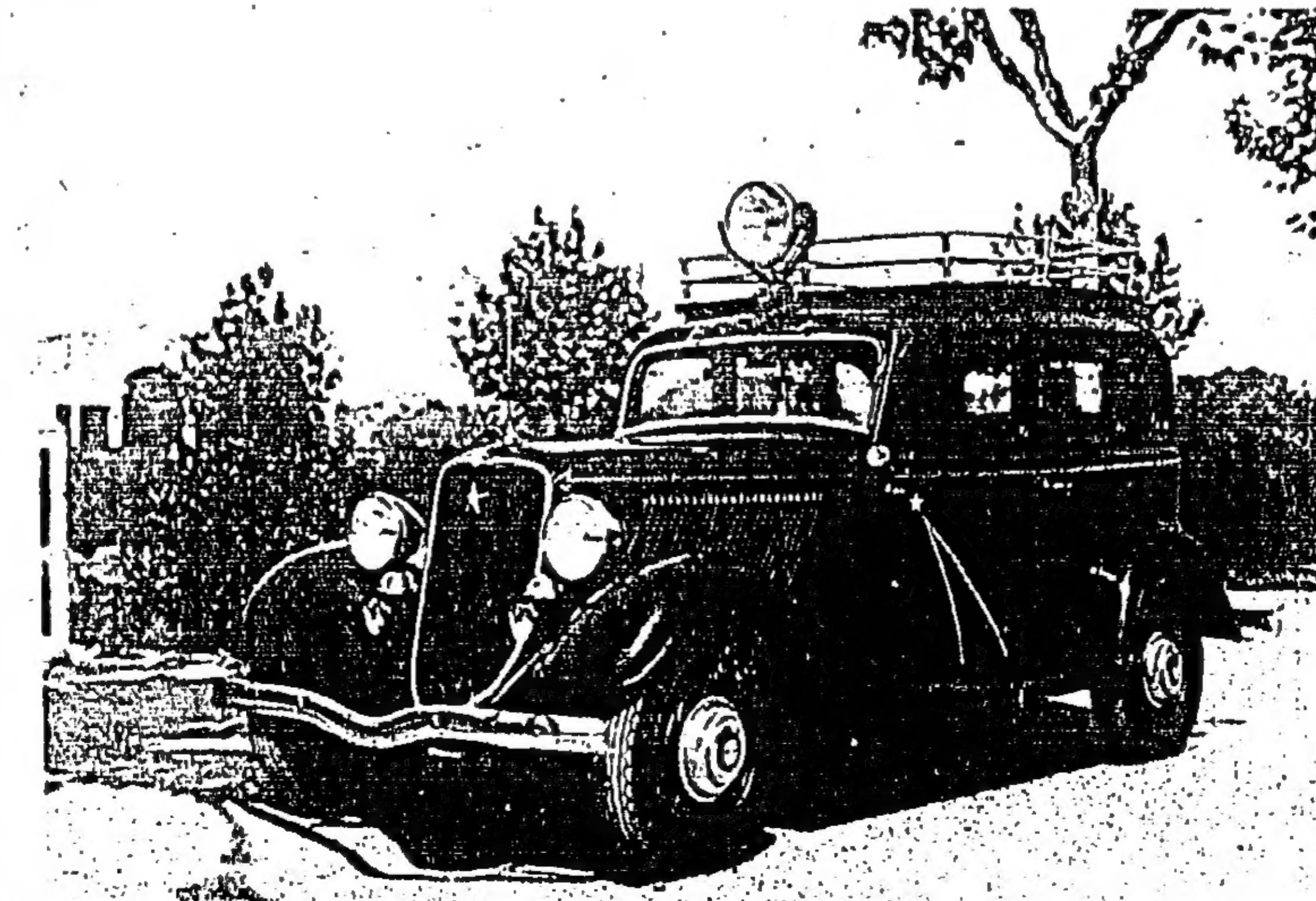
The C.B.S. Cuer Clark Cup team. Miss H. H. Knill, who was responsible for their debut in the tournament, is seen second from the left.



The East Lanes soccer team who were defeated by the Chinese Athletic by 1 goals to 2 in their First Division encounter on the Club ground on December 3.



Sir Malcolm Campbell, holder of the World's land speed record, is here seen seated in the new 14 H. P. Vauxhall which he states "is one of the best cars it has been my pleasure to handle for some considerable time." The Hong Kong Hotel Garage are the local agents for this popular British product.



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The Portuguese Company of the H.K.V.D. Corps, with their Regular Army instructors, photographed in camp at Fanling. (Right) The Regimental Sergeant Major.—(King's Studio).



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REFORMED CURRENCY FOR AUSTRALIA

Conference Suggests Decimal Basis.

CHANGE NOT PRACTICAL

Melbourne, Victoria. The Victorian United Australia Party Conference decided that the time was opportune for the Federal Government to introduce legislation to provide for reformed currency on a decimal basis. Only one delegate opposed the motion.

It was explained that the currency suggested would retain the £1, 0, 0. florin, and the shilling but would provide for the florin to consist of ten cents, each of which would be of the value of 2.4 pence. One shilling would represent five cents.

Mr. H. L. Wilkinson declared that the time to make this simple change was never more opportune. At a time when production costs and the price levels of commodities were likely to be subject to sharp changes, the coinage should be altered without a week's disturbance of business.

Several speakers said that it would be difficult to exaggerate the advantage which decimal coinage would give in the saving of time and accountancy in business.

The proposed reform, it was stated, would be limited to coinage. For it could not be applied to weights and measures without altering the standards.—Reuter.

Proposed Not Favoured

Canberra, Federal Capital Territory.

In official quarters, it is regarded as unlikely that the Commonwealth Government will give serious consideration to the suggestion made in Melbourne that a decimal system of coinage, based on the £, the florin, and the shilling, and involving the replacement of the penny with a cent piece valued at 2.4 should be adopted. Proposals that the basis of the Australian monetary system should be altered to incorporate the decimal system have been investigated from time to time. Although such a change is claimed to possess theoretical advantages, the practical value, it is considered, would not be sufficient to justify the confusion which would result while the change was being made.—Reuter.

News in Brief.

At the meeting of the Rotary Club, next Tuesday, Dr. L. G. Saunders will give the address on "Strange Lives," delivery of which was postponed last week.

His Majesty the King has not been advised to exercise his power of disallowance with respect to Ordinance No. 10 of 1933, an Ordinance to amend and consolidate the law relating to the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Under the auspices of the Arts Association of the University of Hong Kong, a lecture will be given by Miss S. Margery Fry, J.P., M.A., LL.D., on "Florence Nightingale" on Thursday next at 5.30 p.m. in the Union Assembly Room of the University. The lecture is open to the public.

A Chinese woman, Tsang Kwai-yin, attempted to commit suicide at 9.45 p.m. on Friday by jumping overboard from the Star Ferry boat Golden Star while crossing the harbour from Hong Kong to Kowloon. She was rescued by a fireman named Cheung Hung, who dived into the water and supported her until the ferry-boat stopped and returned to pick them up.

It is announced in the Government Gazette that His Excellency the Governor in Council has ordered the closing of Kowloon Cemetery No. 1, situated at Fo Pang, Kowloon, and has authorised, to be used as a European Protestant Cemetery in its place, a piece of land, 11 acres in extent, in Kap Shuk Mi Valley, Kowloon, to be known as New Kowloon Cemetery No. 6.

A successful variety concert was given by the Management in the dining room of the Hotel Cecil on Thursday evening, the programme including a Madcap Review, Black and White Harmony, Gypsy and Spanish Dances and various songs by Misses Strella Adair and D. Faya, Mr. and Miss Ronaldson and Mearns, Justice, Crouch, Campbell and Barracough. An audience of over 200 attended.

PRETTY KOWLOON WEDDING

Purvis — Hall.

CEREMONY AT ST. THERESA'S CHURCH

A pretty wedding took place at St. Theresa's Church, Kowloon Tong, yesterday afternoon when Miss Dorothy Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hall, of Gatehead-on-Tyne, became the bride of Mr. John Murray Purvis of the Public Works Department, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Purvis of Walker-on-Tyne. The Rev. Father Snada officiated.

The bride, who wore a dress of ivory satin with bridal veil, and carried a bouquet of pink roses and pink gladioli, was given away by Mr. Thomas Coleman.

Her bridesmaid, Miss Ena Allen, wore a dress of old gold satin, with hat and shoes to match, and carried a bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums.

Little Miss Isabelle Spoons, the flower girl, who was dressed in pale satin with pink roses, and shoes and hat to match, carried a basket of rose petals, while the page, Master Billy Carr, was dressed in pale blue satin, with white ruffle.

Mrs. Thomas Coleman, the Matron of Honour, wore a dress of flowered georgette with hat and shoes to match.

Mr. M. E. Purvis, brother of the bridegroom, performed the duties of best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Carr, 269 Prince Edward Road, attended by about 80 guests. After the reception the happy couple left for their new home, the bride's going-away dress being a black pin-striped costume with fox fur, and hat to match.

DIOCESAN GIRLS' SCHOOL BAZAAR

Opening Ceremony By Mrs. J. R. Wood.

GROWTH OF THE SCHOOL

Mrs. J. R. Wood, wife of the Honourable the Acting Chief Justice, Mr. J. R. Wood, opened the annual Diocesan Girls' School Bazaar, which was held at the school yesterday afternoon.

A large number of parents and pupils attended and enjoyed a delightful afternoon among the many attractions which were offered.

Mrs. Wood, in declaring the Bazaar open, said that she was very pleased when Miss Sawyer, the Headmistress, asked her to open the Bazaar, as the Diocesan Girls' School was the very first school which she visited on her arrival in the Colony nearly 13 years ago. On that occasion she was invited to accompany Lady Kemp.

Miss Skipton was then the Headmistress of the School. It was her first acquaintance with a School which both European and Chinese girls attended, and she enjoyed the visit very much.

"The School has grown enormously since that time," Mrs. Wood added. She concluded by wishing the schoolgirls a Happy Christmas and New Year.

In the evening a Flannel Dance was held, attended by many of the old girls of the School.

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The Hong Kong Brewers and Distillers Ltd. have just introduced a new beer, named "H. B. Dark Beer" which will, it is expected, prove very popular.

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H. B. Dark Beer is made with the same care and of the same excellent materials as H. B. Pilsener, the only difference being that a Caramel Malt is used to give the sweater taste, and the beer has a longer period of boiling.

BRITISH MANOEUVRES IN BELGIUM

Move Intended During World War.

PEASANTS ALARMED

Ostend.

Tactical manoeuvres, which were intended for the World War, are being carried out for the first time by a group of 50 British officers between Neuport and Ravarsies. These exercises, being performed with the permission of the Belgian Government, will enable the British war office to know the results which would have been obtained if the project (a landing on the Belgian coast behind the German lines) had been carried out in 1917.

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CHRISTMAS DISPLAY AT SINCERE'S.

Special Attractions For The Children.

CYCLING CIRCUS IN THE ROOF GARDEN

The Sincere Co. have prepared a special Christmas treat for the children in the Roof Garden of their well-known store, where Father Christmas will appear, bringing presents for all his little friends in Hong Kong, everyone of whom will be presented with a candy miniature of himself.

A Cycling Circus, too, has been arranged, where riders, specially engaged for the occasion, will perform marvellous and breath-taking stunts on their machines.

Then there is a children's playground, where the youngsters will find fun and frolic to their hearts' content and where every visitor may indulge in a variety of indoor sports and pastimes.

CHRISTMAS MUSIC TO-NIGHT.

Hong Kong University Programme.

COMMUNITY SINGING OF CAROLS

A very enjoyable hour of Christmas music is promised for this evening at 9 o'clock in the Great Hall of the University, when a choir consisting of members of the University Christian Association and friends will, under the able leadership of Mr. R. Baldwin, A.T.C.L., present a varied programme of carols.

The soloist will be Mrs. Matheson, who requires no introduction. A feature of the evening will be the community singing of well-known carols.

Everyone will be welcome, and no tickets of entrance are required. On retiring, friends will have an opportunity of contributing to two very worthy objects, the Hong Kong Society for the Protection of Children and the Street Sleepers' Shelter, and thus help to bring some of the gladness of this season to those whose lot seldom rises above dreary drudgery.

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Again, by our suppositions we often hurt others.

It sometimes happens that some one whom we know very well, and who usually greets us with a smile, passes us by without any kind of recognition, and without pausing to find a reason, we tell the world that we have been given the bird, or the cold shoulder; whereas the truth of the matter may very well be that the other person has been suffering from a sick head-ache, or completely failed to see us.

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SUPPLEMENT
NEXT
THURSDAY

Dangers Of Foolish Imaginings

A Little More Optimism Needed In Life

(By A Local Padre.)

(This is another of the series of articles written exclusively for the "Sunday Herald" by a local Army chaplain.)

We are far too much inclined to

judge our fellow-men without knowing all the facts, and therefore not being able to make allowances.

We condemn others without knowing their temptations. Anyway, what may be very easy for us, may be very difficult for them. There is only One Who really knows—let us leave these judgements to Him.

A Christmas Gesture.

Let us, in our suppositions, imagine the best of others, instead of the worst. Christmas is almost upon us,—the season of goodwill, and friendship, and good cheer. What about burying the old hatchets, and carrying into the New Year the principle of supposing the best, instead of the worst of others?

Last of all, by our suppositions we sometimes wrong God our Father.

We call Him "Father" in our prayers, but how far exactly are we prepared to trust Him as such?

There are some people who keep a diary of all their doings every day.

Others keep a record of every penny they spend (a very good but sometimes a startling business).

Others keep a record of the weather. Have we ever thought of keeping a record of the number of times we have feared the worst, and it has not happened, when disaster has been imminent, when we have not known which way to turn in the darkness, and suddenly the light has come, and the way made clear before our feet?

If we did, we should find that in the course of a year, we had compiled a pretty good sized book, and it would have made us a great more truthful of the care and guidance, and love of God, and we should come to realise just what His Fatherhood means.

Instead of supposing Him to be far away, and unmoved by the trials and troubles of His children, we should learn that He is always by our sides, holding up one end of the cross that is bearing us down, not forcing His attentions upon us, but there when He is needed.

Let us then in our suppositions in future, try to imagine the best of ourselves and not the worst, the best for our fellowmen, and above all, the best from God our Father.

THIS WORLD OF OURS.

ODD FACTS OF SCIENCE IN EVERYDAY LIFE.

There are seven metallic elements lighter than aluminum.

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The cabins of a new French passenger airplane are under the wings instead of on the fuselage.

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Adjustable pots of various sizes, a bracket has been invented to hold a flower pot on a wall.

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The production of long wave radio sets for the Chilean market has been begun by a Santiago firm.

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Ventilators to be fitted into stove pipes have been invented to draw heat and odors from kitchens.

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Since 1927 there has been a steady increase in the production and consumption of leather in Cuba.

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Billboards are being made of aluminum cable and wire mesh, the latter being attached to the latter.

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Inventions patented in India during the last fiscal year exceeded the number for any previous year.

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A metal device has been invented to be attached to a package of flour to sift it as it is poured out.

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Three-wheeled automobiles built in France for amateur racers have attained a speed of 68 miles an hour.

GOLD THROWN IN GUTTER

Pursued Thieves Drop Booty.

DARING RAID IN LONDON

London.

A gold ingot was thrown into the gutter in a London street during a scuffle with escaping thieves.

The men leapt out of a motor-car in one of the principal streets in Hatton-garden, London, and set upon a messenger of a firm of bullion brokers who was carrying an ingot.

This strong comment on the attitude of Germany towards Jews was made by the Right Rev. A. H. L. Kenney, the Bishop of Johannesburg, in an address to the Johannesburg Rotary Club.

He said he felt there was a good deal of anti-Semitism in South Africa and a good deal of fear of Jews. In a way they should not be surprised at this, for Jews were becoming rather scared. He thought that Jews had been compelled by the conditions of their lives through the years to make money and to make it quickly. The Jew had always been persecuted, but there was no race which had suffered for it. Spain had not yet recovered from its persecution of Jews and Germany was making the same mistake.

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Crash Into Lake.****STEERING APPARATUS BREAKS****Vienna.**

Robert Kronfeld, the famous Austrian gliding pilot, had a miraculous escape from death at Laxenburg, near here, when the glider in which he was flying fell 3,000 feet into the lake.

The accident occurred at a sport meeting of the National Front at which Dr. Dollfuss, the Austrian Chancellor, was present.

While at an altitude of 3,000 feet, the steering apparatus of the glider which Kronfeld was piloting broke. The machine dropped at terrific speed into the lake.

Kronfeld escaped with bruises.

Kronfeld was the first gliding pilot to fly the English Channel with a motorless plane.—Reuter.

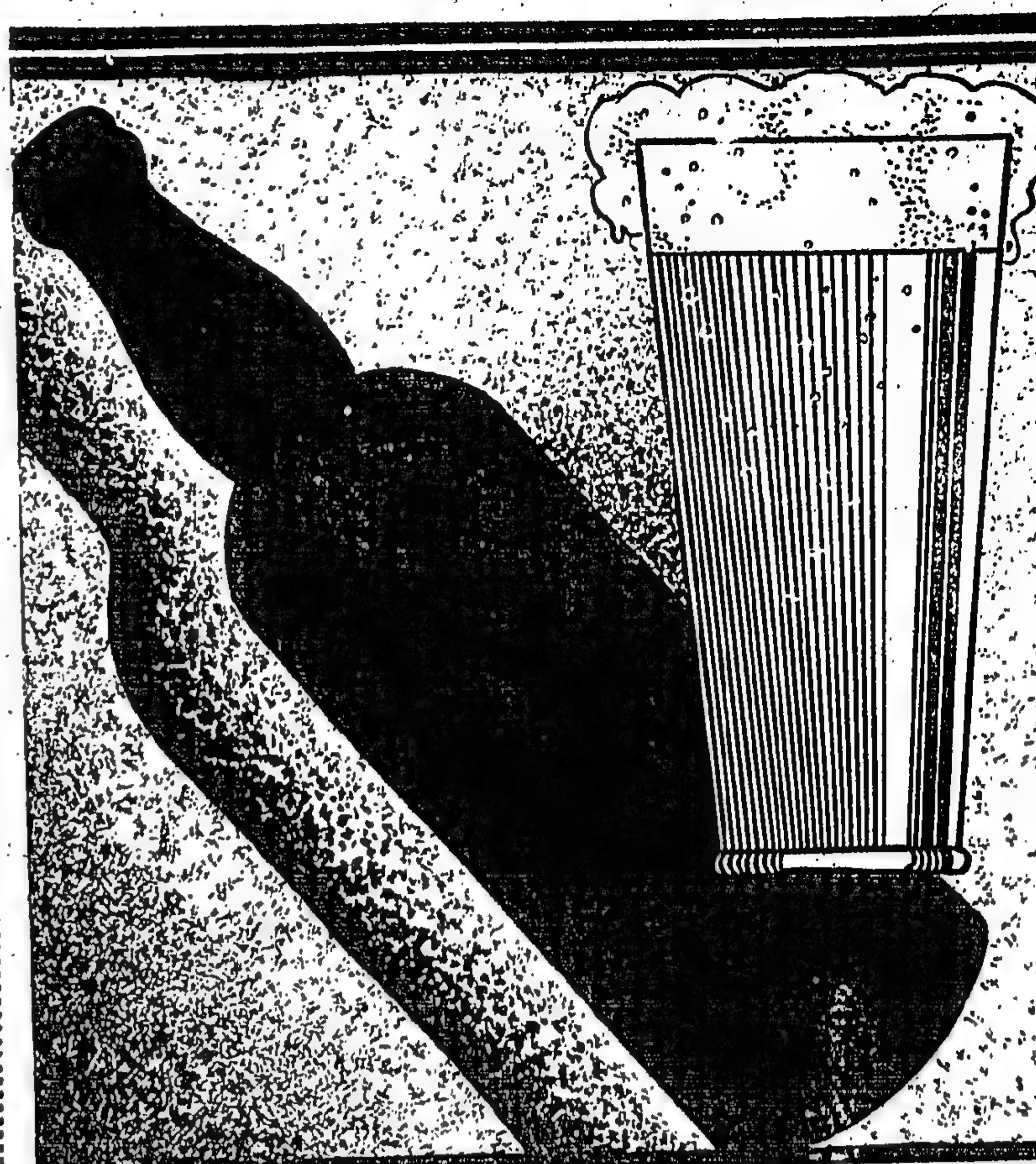
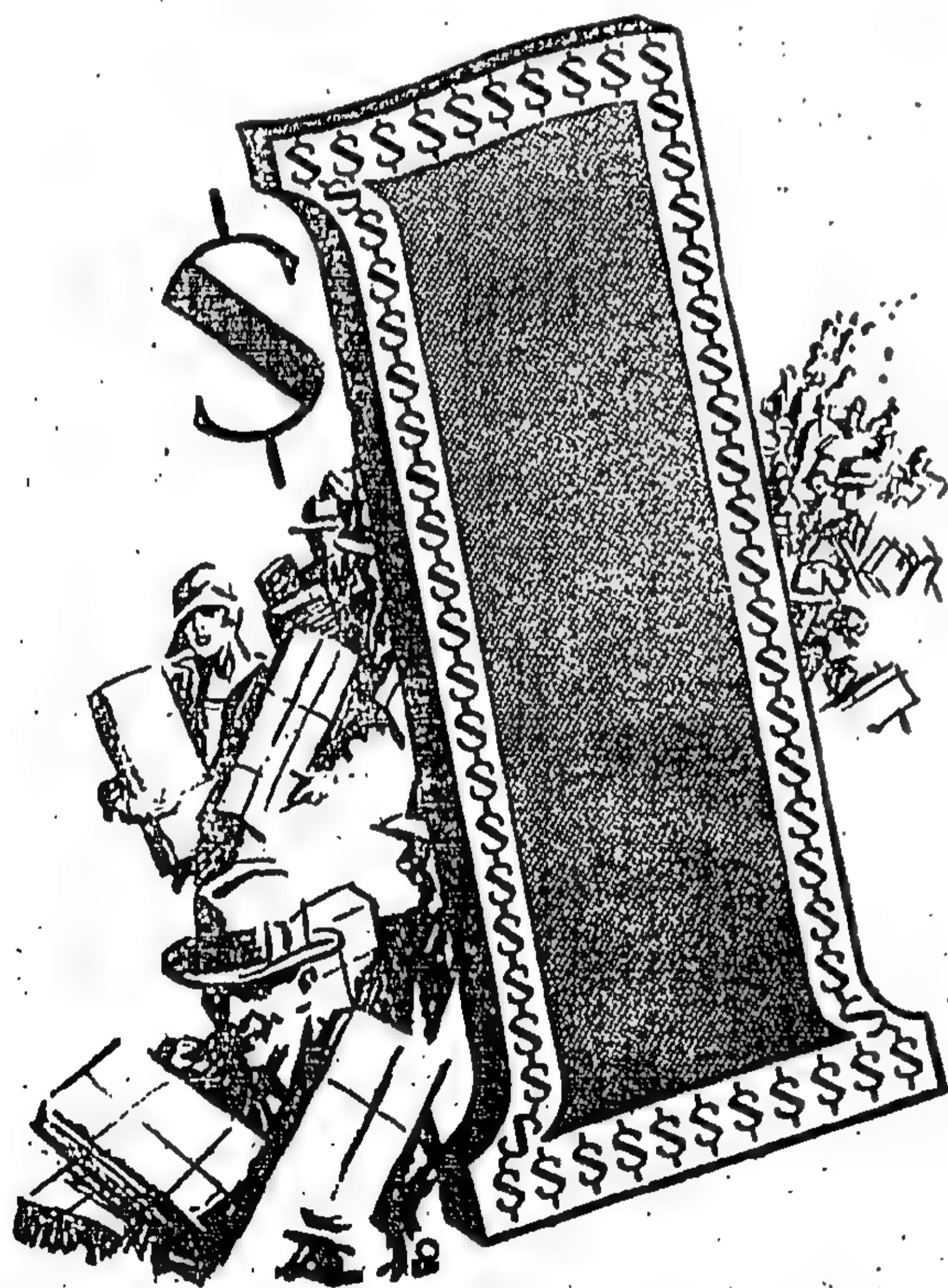
**STARVING FATHER
EATS CHILDREN.****Ghastly Crime In
Basutoland.****Bloemfontein.**
Charged with having slaughtered and eaten two of his own children, a native appeared before the Magistrate at Buthabuthe (Basutoland).

From the evidence it transpired that he was driven by hunger to kill and eat his own progeny. He was committed for trial.

A terrible famine prevails in Basutoland as a result of the unprecedented drought, and thousands of natives who are unemployed are wandering about threatened by starvation, as the mealie crop has been a failure.—Reuter.

QUEER BIRD SHOT DOWN**Lisbon.**
Described as "resembling an owl," a great bird whose wing-spread is five feet and weight 10 pounds, has been shot at Avela de Caminho.

It is being sent here for examination by ornithologists.—Reuter.

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SAINTS LOSE SOCCER LEADERSHIP

(Continued from Page 4.)

Ho Ka Keung scored the first goal fifteen minutes after the commencement when he took a perfect pass from Fung King Yu to place the ball well beyond Rodger's reach. The second goal had a humorous touch about it, and was very unexpected — particularly by the Club's custodian. Ho Ka Keung dropped a short shot from mid-field which had every appearance of going out of play — Rodger evidently thought so for he left his goal to collect it only to find the ball had dropped into an open goal.

The Club were more at home during the second half and pressed frequently. Lo Kwok Ki, the Athletic's goalkeeper, played wonderful football at this stage and saved many good shots from Howard. The third Chinese goal was, however, added when the Athletic were being very hard pressed. Li Kwok Ki cleared, and Fung King Yu took the ball into the Club's undefended area before passing to Ho Ka Keung who scored his third goal with a shot to the top left hand corner. Rodger, having no chance.

The Club's improvement was rewarded when, during a scramble in the goalmouth, Howe bundled the goalkeeper and ball into the net. From the kick-off the Athletic ran through and Ho Choy Yul scored their fourth goal. The Club's second goal, the last of the game, was noted by E. Strange just before full time:

Club: — Lowson; Hynes, S. Strange; Robertson, Skinner, Duncan; Fowler, Hill, Howe, E. Strange, and Bickford.

Artillery's Second Successive Win.

EAST LANCS BEATEN BY ODD GOAL

Knight Scores Deolder.

The Artillery registered their second successive victory when they defeated the East Lancs at Kowloon by 3 goals to 2.

The Gunners just deserved their win, their defence played exceedingly well and their hustling forwards snapped up their opportunities in fine style.

Play travelled quickly from end to end, Wroe breaking up a threatening attack and Seal sending in a good centre which Ball cleared well. Allan gave Seal a chance to score, but the winger's shot was wide. From the goal-kick, however, the Artillery took the lead, Snooks gathering the ball from a weak kick and running through to beat Harmsworth.

The East Lancs tried hard to level the scores, and after strong kicking, Lawton sent O'DONNELL between the backs to score the equaliser. There were then a series of exciting struggles round the East Lancs goal, Harmsworth clearing well from Snooks at the expense of a corner. Birmingham gave the Artillery the lead when he sent in a very hard shot after a smart turn.

After the interval the game improved greatly and play was very fast, each side attacking in turn with the defence outstanding. The Lancs' forwards combined excellently, and Allan had to give of his best to hold them at bay. The Artillery nearly went further ahead when Woods' shot was cleared from under the cross-bar with Harmsworth beaten.

The East Lancs then raced away and O'Donnell went through to scramble the ball past Combe.

The East Lancs strived hard to not the winning goal, but near the end the Gunners forced the pace and Knight broke through to give the Artillery the points.

East Lancs: — Harmsworth; Ball, Gorman; Rushwell, Thompson, Power; Sandford, Lawton, O'Donnell, Woods and Salmon.

Artillery: — Combe; Allan, Wt. Wroe; Rogers, Pardo, Worthington; Sh. Snooks, Knight, Birmingham, Woods and Seal.

Lincolns Score Five Against Recreio.

MARQUES PENALISED FOR CARRYING

Higgins Scores Twice

At Kings Park yesterday the Lincolns' premier side recorded an easy victory at the expense of the Recreio, emerging victorious by five goals to nil.

From the kick-off the Lincolns swept down the field and McGuinness went very close with a good effort. From a cross by Baldry, Higgins took a shot at goal, and Marques made a wonderful save. Continuing the pressure, McGuinness skinned the crossbar with great drive from 25 yards.

Breaking away on the left, Hocquard ran well down the wing before sending over a ball judged to be in, which Higgins converted in great style, to open the scoring. After this reverse, the Recreio improved, but keen tackling, followed by splendid clearances by Ash, nullified their efforts.

Cork was feeding his forwards with long passes, and kept them continually on the move. From another breakaway, this time on the right wing, Baldry narrowly missed with a first-time effort. The ball somehow left the Recreio area, and just before the interval, following a misunderstanding between Delgado and Marques, Higgins was presented with an easy chance, and made no mistake.

The second half opened with even exchanges around midfield, until the Lincolns once more attacked, and Marques, in attempting a clearance, was penalised for carrying. From the free kick, taken just inside the goal area, McGuinness placed the Lincolns two ahead.

A breakaway by the Recreio forwards was easily repelled by Deakin, who cleared well, and thereafter the Recreio were continually on the defence, the Lincolns completely dominating the game. After 20 minutes play Cork received the ball, and from 30 yards range found the net with a beautiful drive. From the restart the same player missed narrowly with a lightning like effort. Ridley obtained the fifth and last goal following a corner conceded by Silva Netto. Hocquard took the flag kick, and Ridley netted.

Lincolns: — Deakin; Roden and Ash; Dudley, Cork and Bett; Baldry, McGuinness, Higgins, Ridley and Hocquard.

Recreio: — Marques; Silva Netto and Bowen; Goncalves, Delgado and Maher; Castillio, Gutierrez, Sousa, Gomes and Pereira.

SECOND DIVISION.

Royal Navy Go Nap At Valley.

YOUNG INDIANS WELL BEATEN.

The Young Indians suffered a heavy defeat at the hands of the Navy at Happy Valley yesterday, the sailors winning by five clear goals.

Fairless opened the scoring for the Navy, following a miskick by Dean; the Navy forward giving Ramzan no chance with a hard shot.

Commencing the second half a goal in the lead the Navy attacked from the kick-off, and the pressure on the Young Indians' goal was seldom relieved. Further goals were added by Chapman (2), Hinden, and Sherlock.

Navy: — Pepper; Forest and Guy; Burdon, Mathias and Mitchell; Fairless, Chappell, Sherlock, Sayer and Hinden.

Young Indians: — Ramzan; Dean and Omar Razack, Hussain and Markar; Usuf, Hamet, Azim, Haroon and el Arculli.

Borderers Held To Goalless Draw.

COURT'S MISSED PENALTY

The Borderers and Athletie played seventy minutes of hard football at Happy Valley without either side scoring.

Just before the interval, the Borderers were awarded a penalty 'hands', but Court shot straight at Lu Ho-chin.

Athletie: — Lu Ho-chin, Chong Ip-pal, Chan Lui-cheung; Le Chau chok, Chan Sui-man, Lau Ping-pal; Chan Cheong-yln, Chan Yin-cheong, Lo Chal-wan, Cheung Moon-wing and Kwock Yeung-wing.

Borderers: — Williams, Jenkins, Suter, Williams, Court, Whelan, John Herbert, Morris, Marshfield and Searle.

P. White Scores All Important Goal.

KOWLOON BEAT CLUB.

At the Valley yesterday Kowloon beat the Club by the only goal scored.

The only goal of the game was scored by P. White. From an effort on his own goal, White made a brilliant run down the length of the field to send in an apparently easy shot at Farrow who made a poor attempt to save. On the run of the play, a draw would have been a more satisfactory result. He was not too heavily tried.

Kowloon: — Everest, Dorothy; Hopkins, Gran, Folley; P. White, Cutler, White, Reece, Whitehead.

Club: — Farrow; Low, Ralton; McKellar, Boyd, Gamble; Fisher, Bell, Duncan, G. Williams, Sloane.

Third Division.

LINCOLNS ROUT RADIO

The Lincolns third string gained another overwhelming victory yesterday when they defeated the Valley.

Clarke again proved the most prolific scorer, obtaining four of the total, while the remainder were obtained by Dudley (2), Harper and Reason.

BORDERERS TRIUMPH

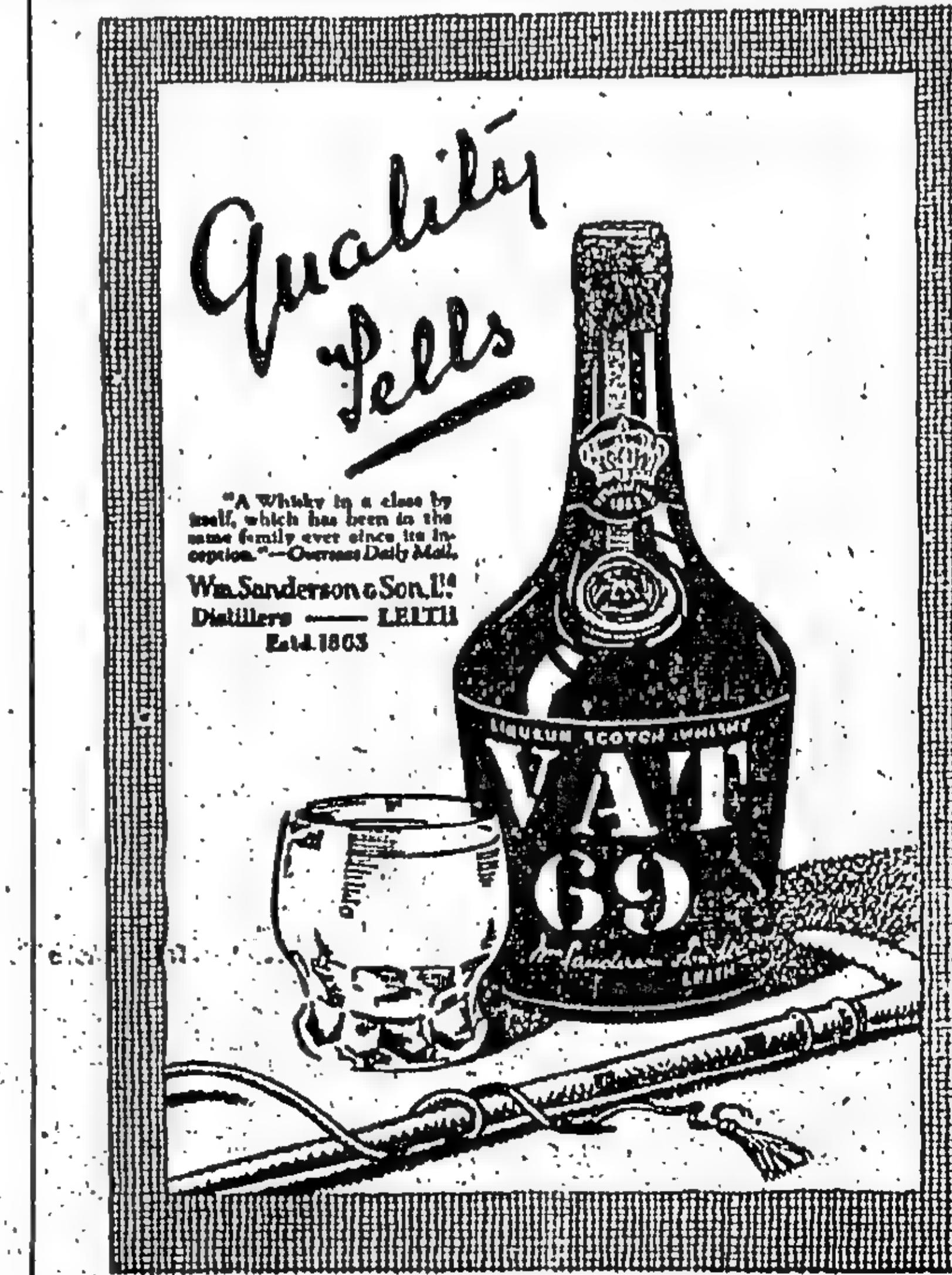
At Happy Valley yesterday a keen tussle resulted in the Borderers winning by 3 goals to 1. Nelson, Purcell and Morgan netted for the winners, while Pym scored for the Medicals.

RECREIO SECURE POINTS

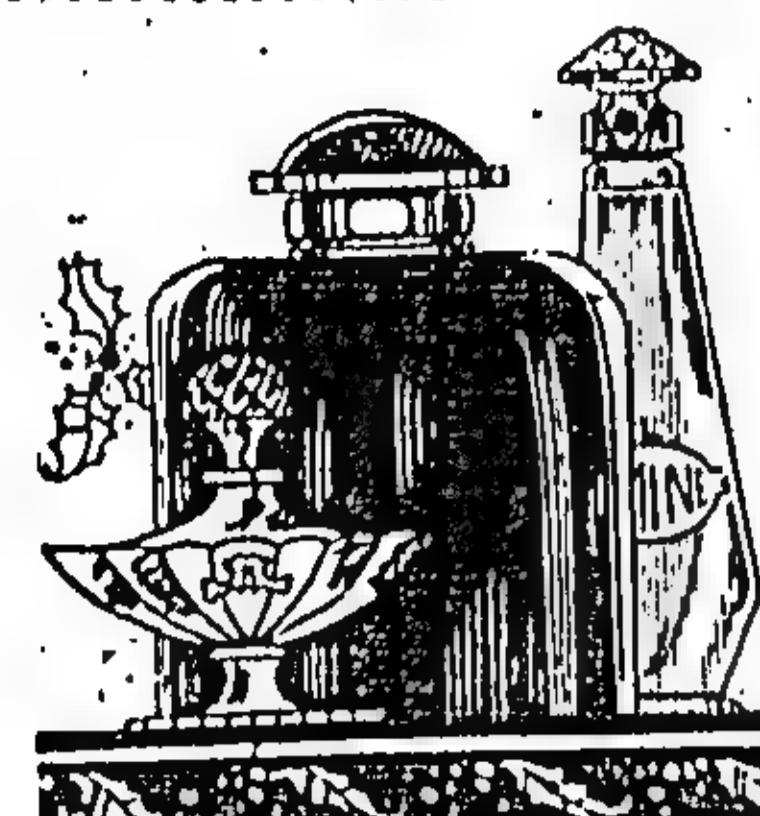
The Engineers went down heavily at King's Park, the Recreio winning by 4 clear goals: Alvin, Santos, Castillo (penalty) and Campus scored the winners' goals.

Outside Left's Review on yesterday's games will appear in

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NAZI COURIER WALKS INTO "ENEMY CAMP"

Comrades Betrayed By Thoughtlessness.

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Vienna. The thoughtlessness of a Nazi courier has resulted in imprisonment for a number of Nazi plotters, charged of high treason against a former General and a journalist, and had dealt a serious blow to the Nazi cause in Austria.

Charged with the delivery of important documents to Nazi sympathisers in the frontier area this Nazi courier innocently walked into an Innsbruck Cafe which is a popular resort of the Heilmann, who are strong opponents of the Nazis.

He was recognised and arrested and the papers seized.

There revealed a plan of Herr Habicht, the exiled Nazi "Commissioner for Austria" to establish an "information service" for the purpose of ascertaining the military and police strength at the frontier.

The proposed head of the information bureau, a retired Major, named Hodny was to have been assisted by a pensioned Lieutenant general and a journalist, named Strobel. All three have already been sent to prison for three months and now in addition will have to meet charges of high treason.

Many of the persons of lesser importance mentioned in the documents have also been sentenced.

The organisation of this information bureau had been entrusted by Herr Habicht to Herr Glueck a "brigade leader" for the Tyrol and Vorarlberg of the Austrian legion in Lechfeld near Augsburg.

Glueck compiled a list of Nazi sympathisers suitable for the task and filled out forms giving these persons authority.

The courier was, on his way, to deliver these forms when he was denounced.—Reuter.

HER SEVENTY-THIRD CONVICTION

Two Months' Gaol For Drunkenness.

Cape Town. For being seen drunk for the 73rd time since 1910, a 50-year-old European woman, Mary Morrison, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment by Mr. E. A. Wollaston at Caledon Square.

Morrison was originally ordered to be detained for three years in the Maritzburg Inebriate reformatory, where she has served sentences on three previous occasions.

Mr. Wollaston, however, realised afterwards that such a sentence was illegal without the consent of the person concerned. Morrison would not give her consent, and the hard labour sentence was therefore imposed.

A constable described how he had seen her staggering about and shrieking in Hope Street. She smelt strongly of liquor. Morrison denied that she was guilty.—Reuter.

SALUTED WITH SPADES.

Novel Honour For South African Minister.

Kakamas (Capo). General Kemp, Minister of Agriculture, had the novel experience of receiving the salute from boys of the local agricultural high school when he arrived here in the course of his tour of inspection of the North-West Cape.

The boys presented arms not with the customary rifles but with spades.—Reuter.

FREE BEER-12 BARRELS

Sydney, N.S.W. On opening a new hotel at Wiluna, Western Australia, the licensee supplied free beer for an hour.

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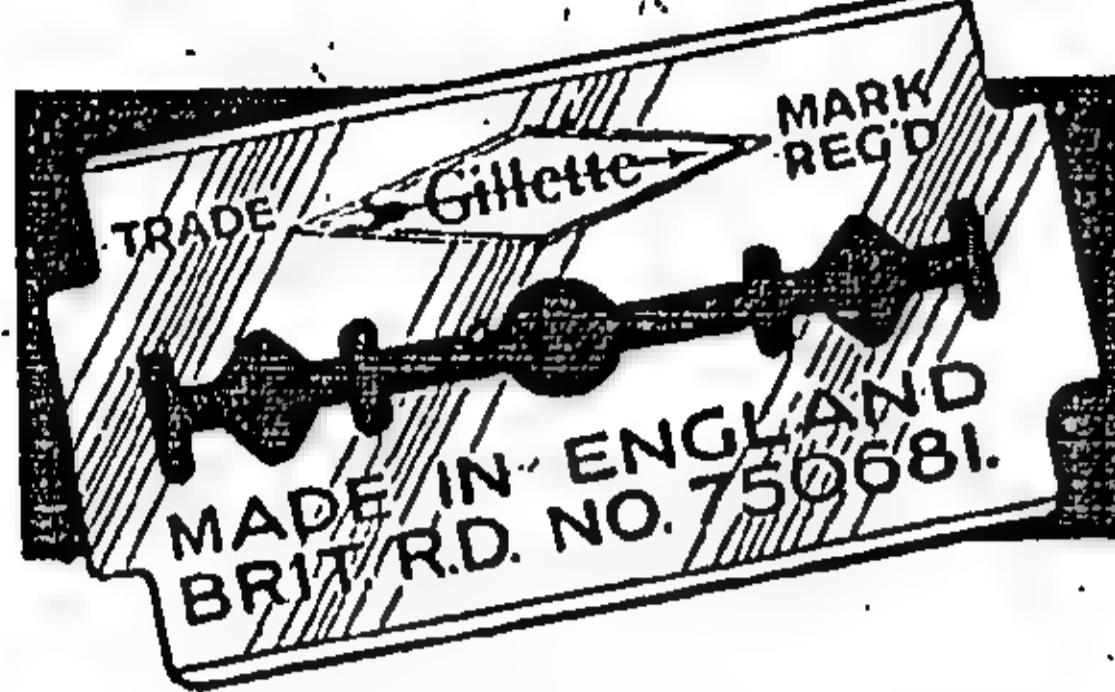
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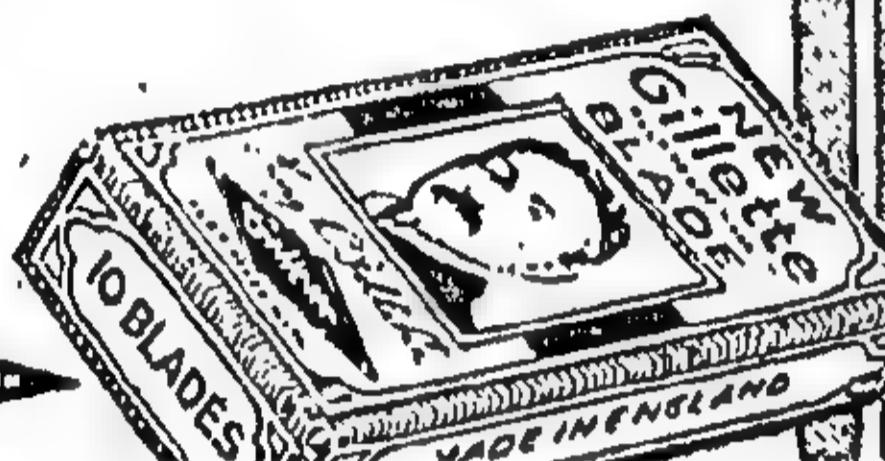
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APPOINTMENTS AND NOTIFICATIONS.

Election Of Member Of Sanitary Board.

The Government Gazette announces that Mr. Ernest Philip Henry Lang has been appointed to be the Presiding Officer at an election of a member of the Sanitary Board, necessitated by a vacancy occurring through the expiration of the term of office of Dr. Roberto Alexandre de Castro Basto.

Sir William Thomas Southorn, K.B.E., C.M.G., resumed duty as Colonial Secretary on December 11.

The Hon. Commander George Francis Hole, R.N. (retired) resumed duty as Harbour Master and Director of Air Services on December 14.

Mr. Benjamin Davies Evans resumed duty as Assistant Director, Royal Observatory, on November 30.

Mr. Geoffrey Robley Sayer resumed duty as Head of the Sanitary Department on December 14.

RETURNING TO THE COLONY.

Three Banishees Gaoled.

Three banishees were sentenced to terms of hard labour by Mr. Ballfour at the Central Magistracy yesterday morning for returning to the Colony.

Tsang Yuk, aged 26, who had previously been banished from British India and had a bad Rangoon record, was banished three days ago but returned the same evening. Sentenced of 10 months was imposed.

Tsang Yuk, aged 20, received a sentence of five months' while a third banishee, Chan Kau, who had been sentenced some time ago to five

STEAMSHIP'S LONG SILENCE

Wireless Officer Taken Seriously Ill.

NO NEWS FOR THREE WEEKS

A steamship that several years ago ran ashore in a fog off Dungeness and broke in two called at Durban after steaming for 21 days without news of any kind.

The ship's wireless officer became seriously ill on the 31 day voyage from Porto Ferrario, in the Island of Elba, to Durban, and for the last 21 days he was unable to leave his cabin. Thus it was impossible to get in touch either with other ships or the land. Hopes were entertained of signalling to passing vessels with flags or lights to enable the agents of the vessel to know her whereabouts, but no ship was sighted.

The wireless officer was removed shortly after the ship docked in Durban and was taken to Addington Hospital, where it is expected he will remain for some considerable time.

A new wireless officer was found for the ship a few hours before she sailed.

The Nurthurton has an interesting history, for several years ago she ran ashore in a fog off Dungeness and broke in two. The two halves were subsequently patched up and towed to different parts, one going to Rotterdam and the other to London. Later the two halves were joined together again.—Reuters.

years, but was released after serving two years, was sent to prison for one year.

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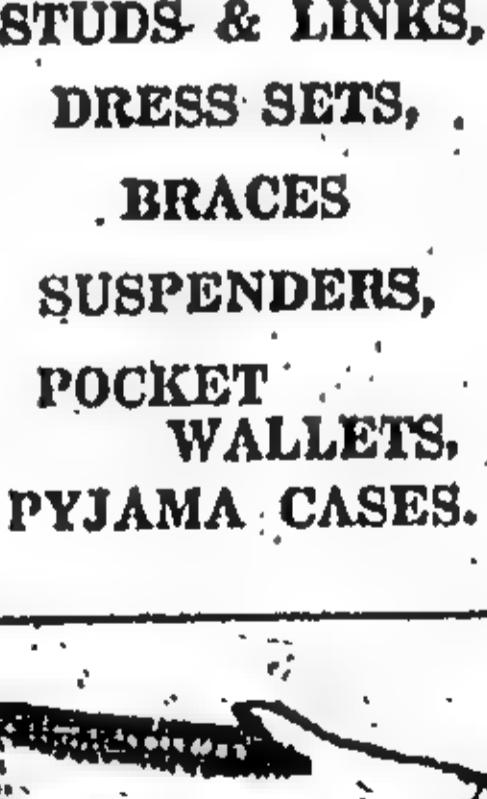
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THE TIGER OF TIBET

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Again there came that peculiar metallic clang and whine, while once more the guards broke in confusion with cries of terror. Handgrenades were a new weapon against which they were certainly not staunch, and which produced a maximum effect in the confined space.

Geoffrey could hear Thompson's voice angrily shouting to them to stop firm and exhorting them to be steady. The "Tiger" was evidently in the hall of the temple, with his main force, guarding the only exit. He briefly described the situation to his companions. "Look here," said the missionary, "could we not go along this passage to the great courtyard and draw them after us? Then we might leave the courtyard by another passage and get back to the temple hall and gate."

Geoffrey hastily consulted with Sher Khan. Yes, sahib, it is as good a plan as any other, if that is really the only way out. I don't mind a fight in an open courtyard, but I hate grubbing underground like a rat!"

"Quick, now. You and Phyllis go first. Sher Khan and I will form the rearguard. Yes, you must. We're better armed. Quick before they've got over that last scare."

Quietly they crept along the passage, and when they had gained a spot which Geoffrey judged as being well over half-way to the courtyard he fired a shot from his revolver and yelled out some Tibetan cries. Then the little party continued their way, purposefully making as much noise as they could.

They heard Thompson's shouts of encouragement and the patter of feet as the guards sped after them in pursuit.

Suddenly they saw the white lines of light shining through the chinks of the door. They had almost reached the courtyard. Shots rang out behind and a couple of bullets sped past. Geoffrey's head with the sharp, loud crack which a bullet makes when it has been fired from close range and narrowly misses its mark. Drawing his revolver he returned the fire, and Sher Khan followed his example with his automatic, but with what effect it was impossible to tell.

This return fire, however, seemed to make their pursuers pause, as the "Tiger's" voice could again be heard cursing at them as cowards.

Phyllis and her father had now reached the door, which the missionary cautiously opened. He had no sooner done so, however, than he flung up his rifle and fired.

"Keep under cover," he called, "the courtyard is full of them!"

The passage, as Geoffrey remembered, took a bend almost immediately after leaving the courtyard, and consequently they could not be taken in rear by any fire from a distance.

"Stay here," he said to Sher Khan; "I will have a look at the courtyard."

On joining the missionary he peeped through the door, which the latter had closed after firing, and saw that the courtyard was rapidly filling with Tibetans, almost all of whom were armed with rifles.

"Lie down flat," he cautioned Phyllis and her father; "these kind of chaps always fire high. Pick off any man you can make certain of, but try not to waste cartridges. I want to keep them at bay outside while Sher Khan and I settle those blighters behind."

He returned to Sher Khan and almost immediately heard Mr. Merridow's rifle speak.

"Look here, Sher Khan, I want to entice those brutes in the passage on in force and then give them a couple more bombs. That ought to settle them for a bit and give us

MOTORING NOTES.

MOTORIST REPAYS IN KIND.

Issues Warrant Against Constable.

Glenwood, Iowa. Constable Nix arrested Mr. R. C. Townsend for passing a "stop" sign in his motor car. Mr. Townsend paid his fine and then bided his time until something happened. It did when the constable went past a "stop" sign.

Mr. Townsend went to Council Bluffs, where he consulted with legal authorities. Where officers immune from stopping at "stop" signs? Certainly not, he was told. So he got a warrant. Another officer made the arrest.

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chance of fighting our way across the courtyard to another passage."

"Very good. I think I will turn on my lightning-lamp (i.e. electric torch), so that we may see directly one of the dogs reaches the bend."

He suited the action to his words, and a dozen shots rang out immediately from close quarters. But the fiends were round the corner and the shots were perfectly harmless.

The missionary's rifle again spoke. Geoffrey and Sher Khan could hear stealthy crawling and whispers. The "Tiger's" contingent in the passage were obviously massing before the assault, although there was no sign of any living person in the beam of the torch which lit the bend of the passage brilliantly.

Thompson's voice was again audible. He was now speaking in Tibetan, and was coaxing his men into bravery. Geoffrey could hear his words: "There are but four of them, and one of them is woman and the other an old man. Come, there are thirty of us now, and brave men all. We are not lousy Tibetans. I will give a handful of rubies to the man who catches the young white man and the nigger alive."

It was fortunate that Sher Khan could not hear him thought Geoffrey, or there would have been no holding him. For to call a Pathan a "nigger" is to court the raising of a blood-feud.

Geoffrey took a Mills's bomb in each hand. That would only leave him with two and Sher Khan with three, but still he could pull out the safety-pins from the bombs, holding down the levers in position. Then he crawled to the corner. The enemy were very close; he could hear them breathing distinctly. He paused, and then lobbed both bombs simultaneously round the corner into the dark.

As he did so Mr. Merridow fired two shots in quick succession, and the hiss of the fuses was lost.

Both grenades exploded almost simultaneously.

Geoffrey and Sher Khan at once darted round the corner and emptied their respective hand-weapons into the struggling mass. There were yells, groans, and shouts, but terror held sway and the Tibetans could be heard running down the passage.

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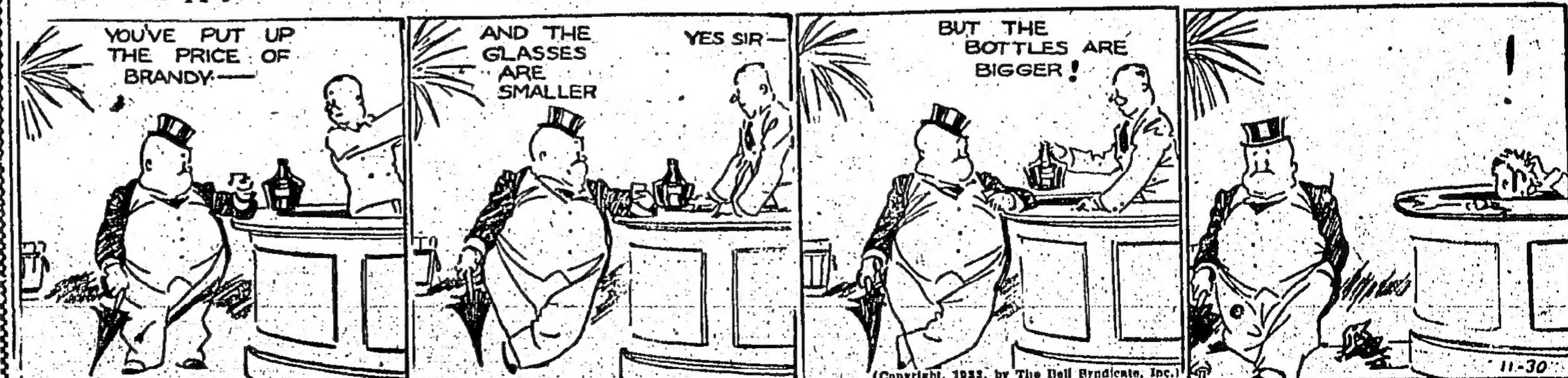
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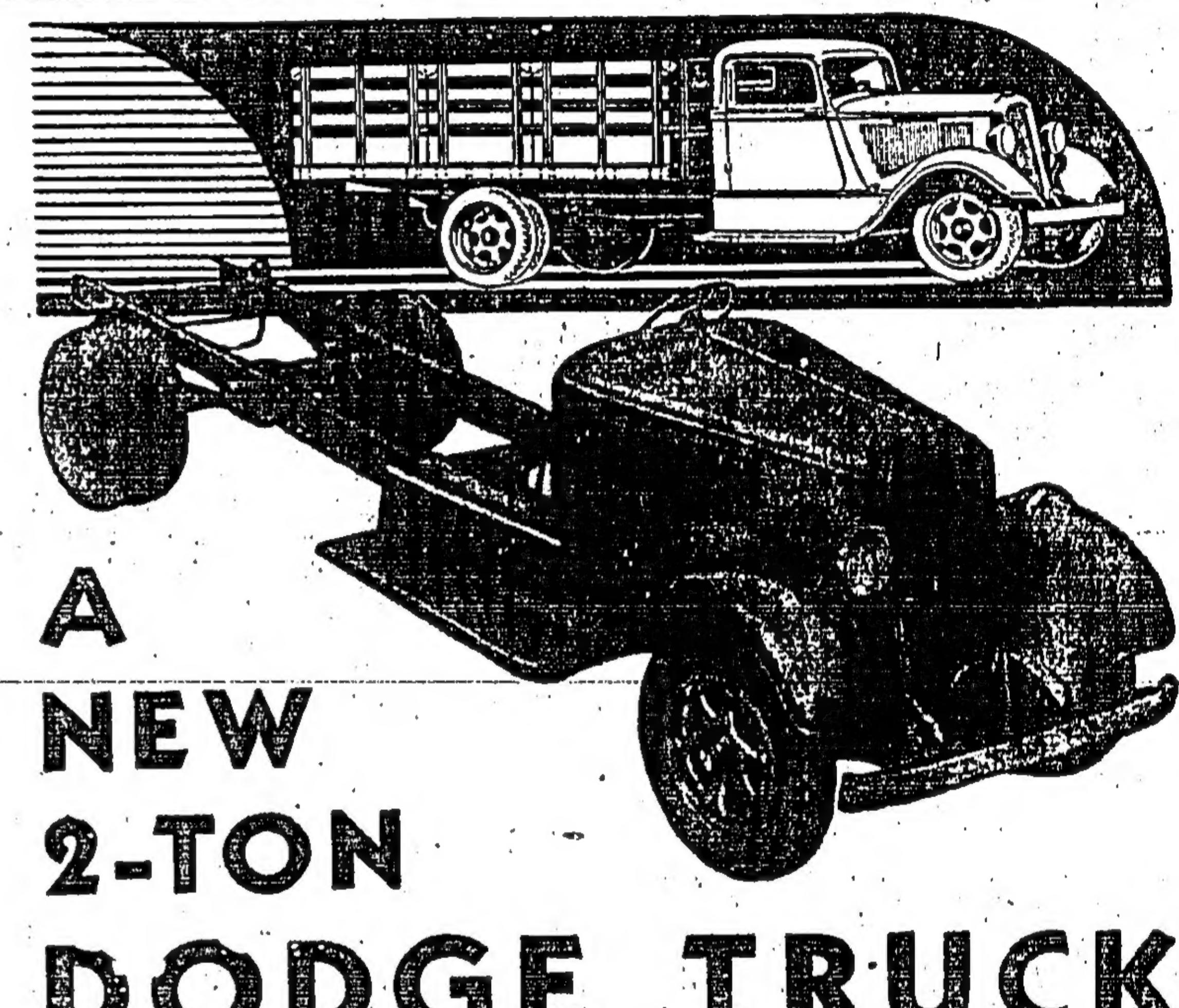


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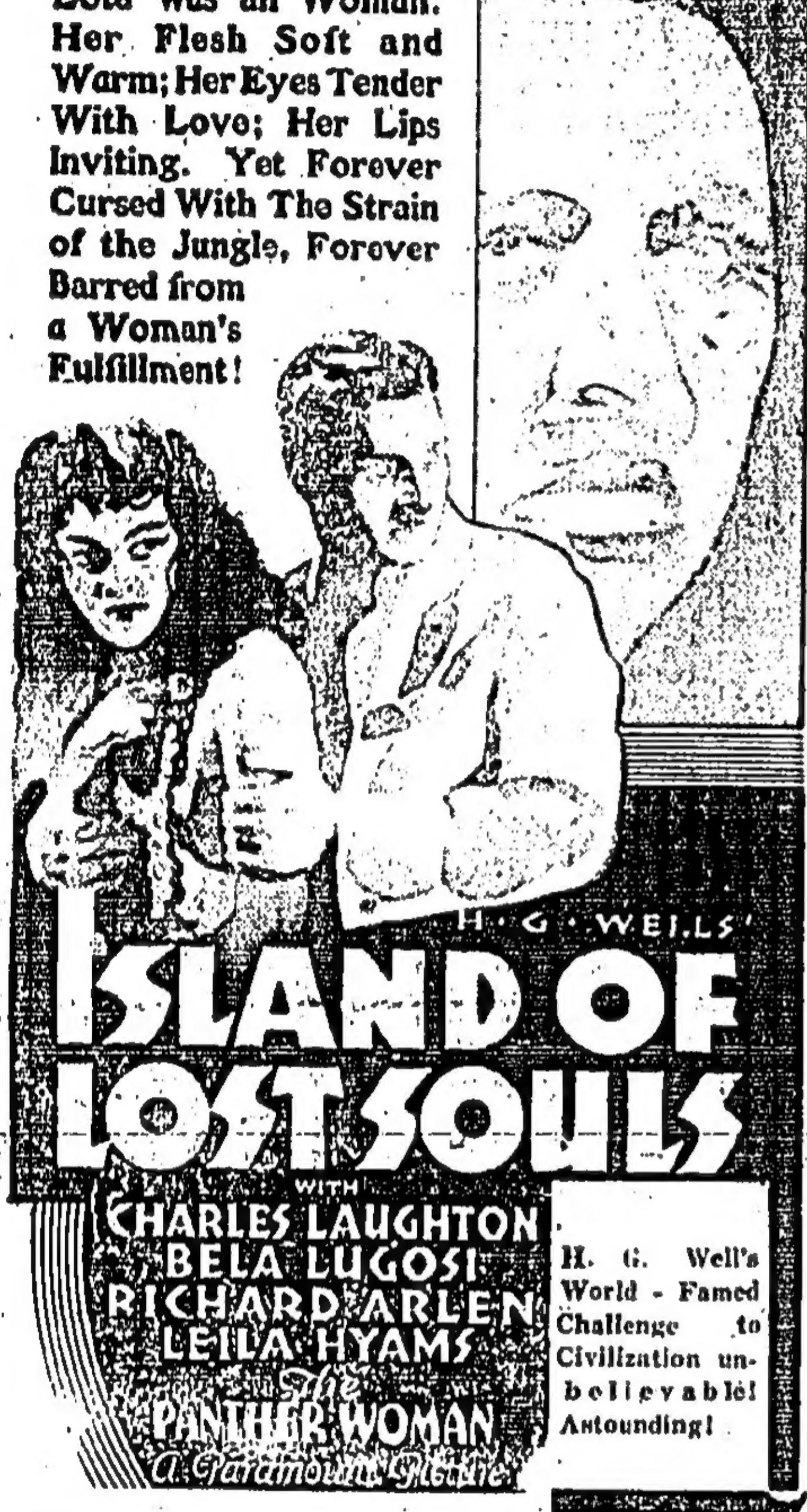
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Geoffrey shoved his revolver into a pocket and unslung his rifle.

"Quick, Sher Khan! Throw the light down the passage!"

Some of the enemy must have got out of sight before Sher Khan's torch lit up the passage, but Geoffrey could still see four figures scurrying along. The butt of his rifle nestled into his shoulder as he swung on one of the fleeing figures and before the echoes from the shot had died away he had covered another and pulled the left trigger.

"I'm, Sher Khan. A very satisfactory right and left. I think it will be some time before any of those men will be of much account again."

He broke open the rifle, and the ejectors shot out the empty-cases, which clinked as they fell on the floor. As he loaded again he looked to see the effect of the grenades.

The floor of the passage seemed littered with corpses huddled together, while an occasional groan showed that there were still some men living amongst the dead.

Suddenly the missionary called out, "I think they're going to rush us from outside. They're massing round the corner where I cannot get at them."

"Back, then, along the passage. I think we've routed them there. But first let's barricade the door with some of these bodies."

Having flung four bodies across the door, the dauntless little band started once more back towards the temple gate. Sher Khan led the way, while Phyllis took Geoffrey's hand. Mr. Merridew also kept beside Geoffrey so as to shelter his daughter as much as possible, since no immediate or sudden attack was expected from the rear.

They passed the door of the torture-chamber, which was still shut, and then the passage gradually began to become lighter. Sher Khan stole on ahead and returned with the news that some dozen men were guarding the main gate.

"We might rush them if we give them another bomb, sahib."

"All right, but only one, mind we are getting near the end."

Sher Khan took a bomb from his pocket and drew the pin. Then he ran forward, yelling his Pathan war-cry, and flung it at the guards in front of the door. Geoffrey and the missionary were close at his heels, and all three fired their weapons at the scattering enemy. The men bolted immediately for safety up the nearest passage, leaving three of their number stretched on the hall floor.

"Keep a guard on the passages," called Geoffrey as he darted for the main gate with the great key in his hand. He drew the bolts and shoved the key into the lock. It would not turn. Force it as he might, it refused to move. And then the

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Phil Edwards, of British Columbia, now resident in Canada, equalled the world's record for 660 yards at the annual meeting of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association, by covering the distance in 1 minute, 20 2/5ths seconds. The record is held by the American H. Baker who established it in 1914.

Edwards, who is coloured, finished third to T. Hampson, the British winner of the record breaking 800 metres in the 1932 Olympic games at Los Angeles.—Reuter.

Ghastly truth flashed on him that

the "Tiger" had broken the lock so as to prevent it being opened!

He was searching for something to use as a lever when the Pathan called, "Quick, sahib, a great number of them are coming down that passage on the left."

It was useless to think of taking up a stand in the open. Geoffrey could hear the rapidly-approaching enemy. He rushed to the nearest shelter, which was Thompson's private passage, the door of which was still open, and bundled Phyllis and Mr. Merridew down the steps. Then Sher Khan and he followed and slammed the door to as a shout of triumph from their pursuers showed that they had been discovered.

Geoffrey shot home the bolts and hurried his companions along the passage back to the "Tiger's den."

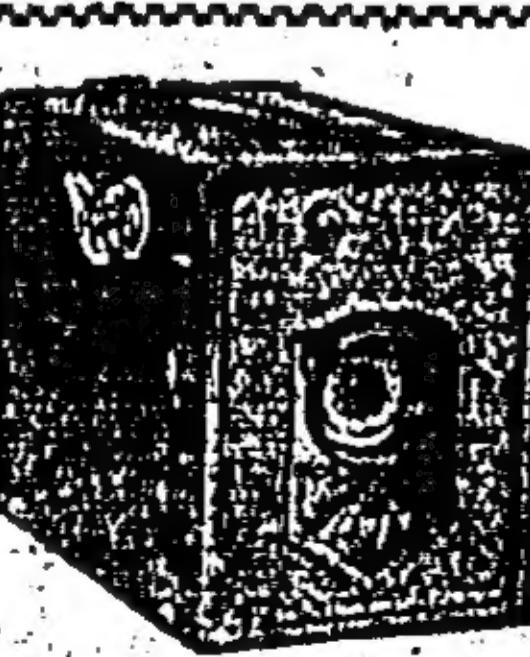
"We may be able to get through the skylight," he panted; "the main gate is hopeless."

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- 8 It soothes away Irritability.

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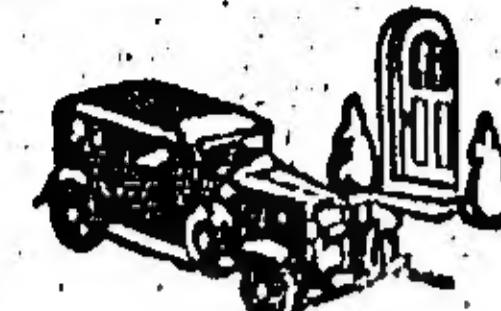
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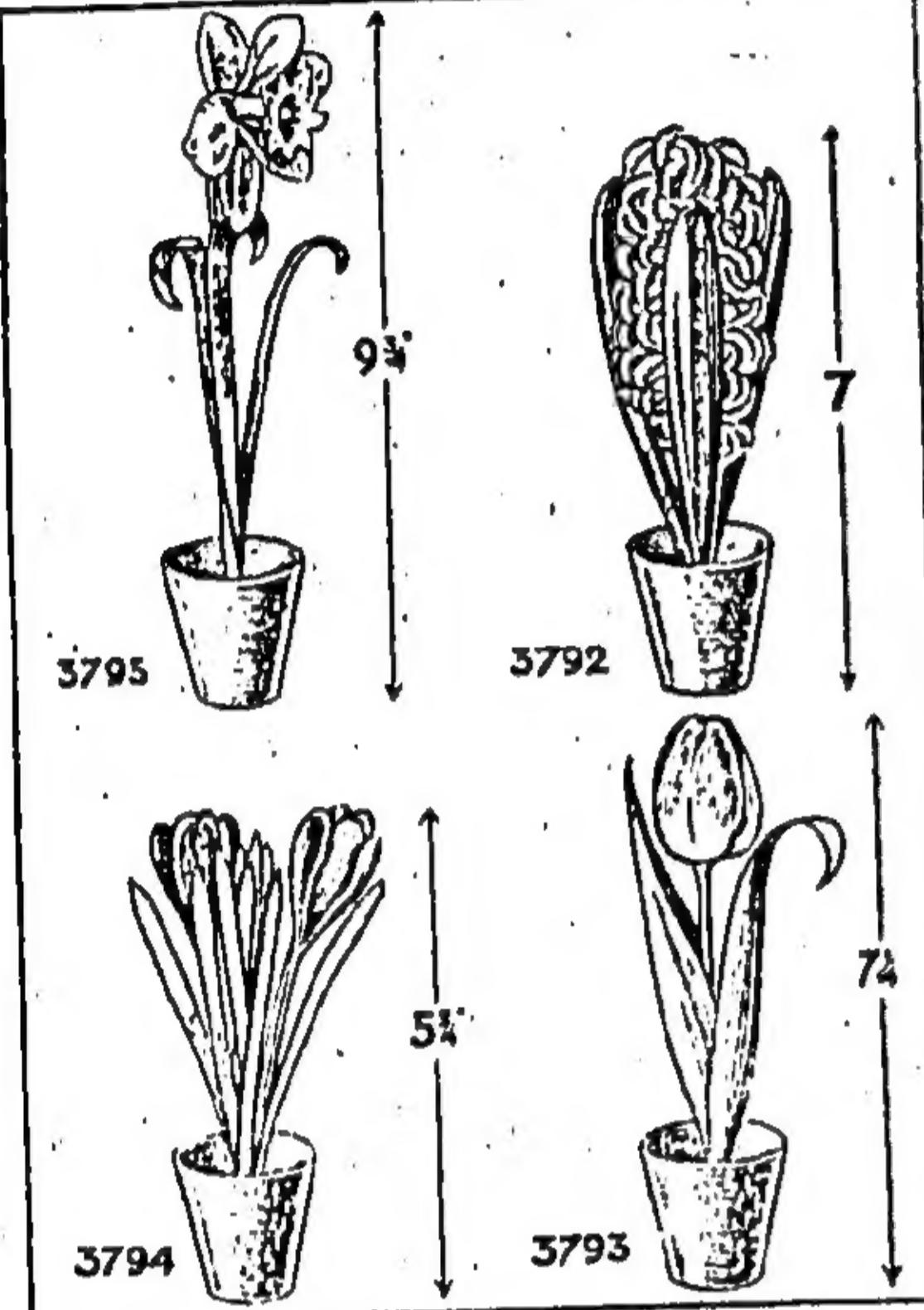
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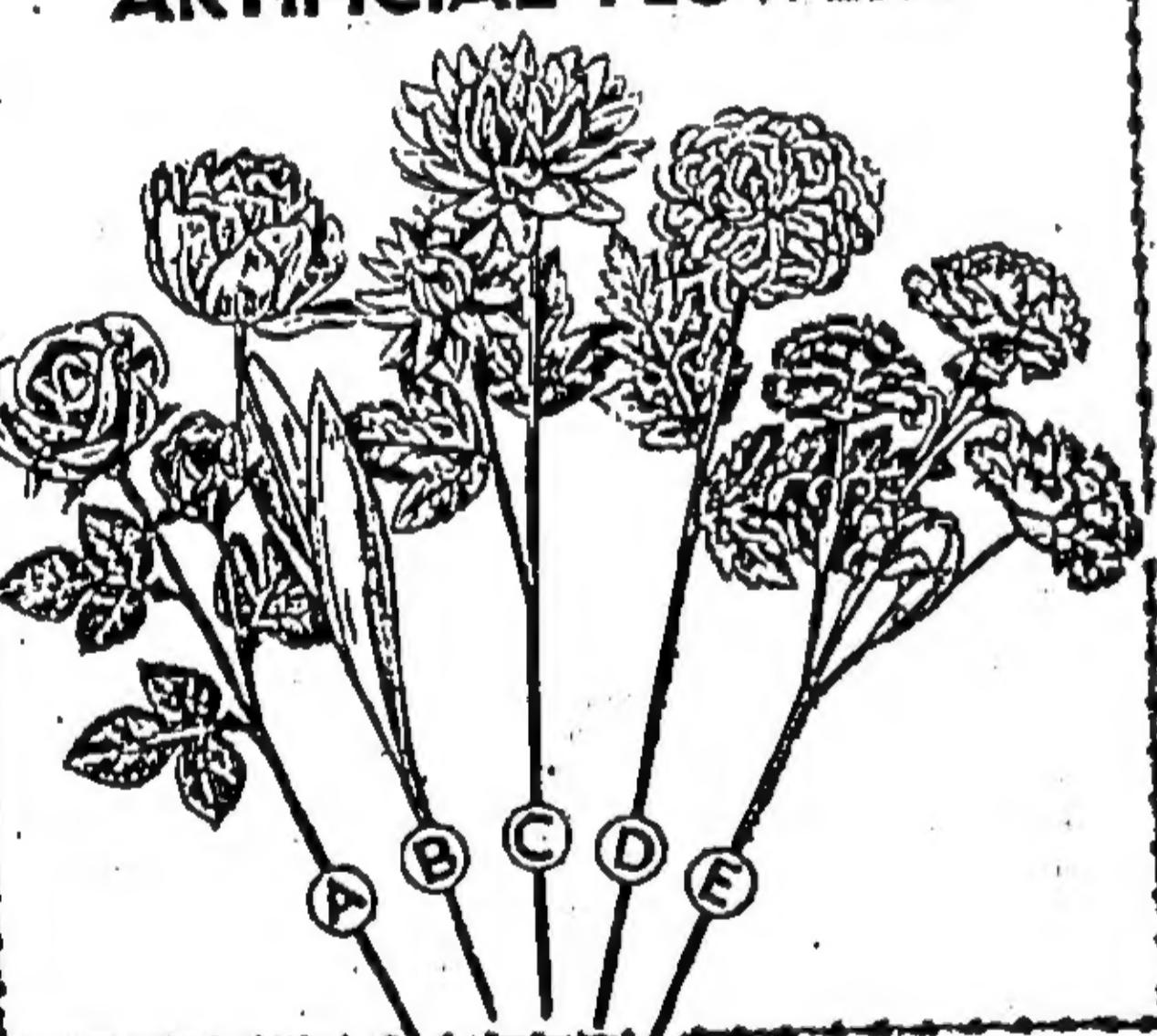
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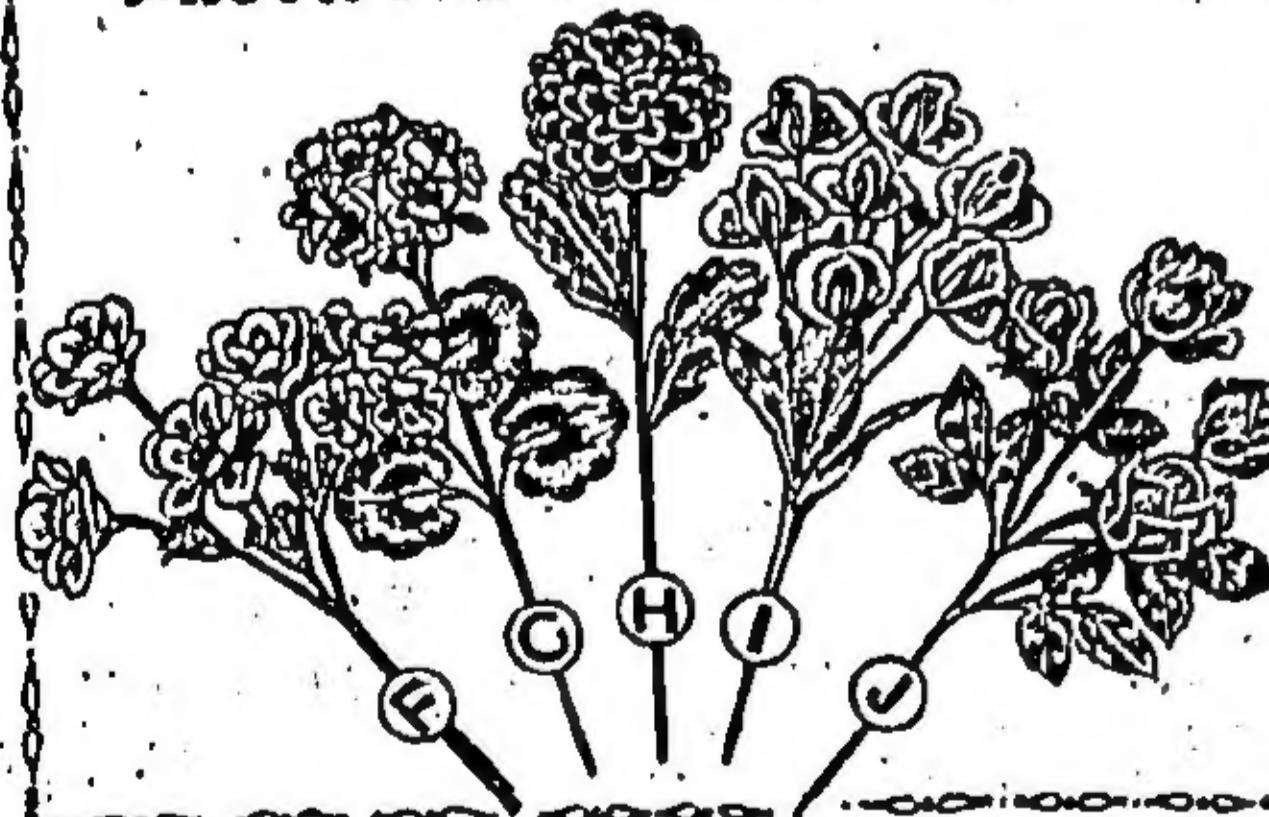
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Birmingham	2	Chelcster	2	Notts F.	2	Celtic	0	Bournemout	0
Blackburn	1	Huddersfield	2	Bury	1	St. Mirren	1	Charlton	1
Derby	5	Sheffield U.	1	Fulham	1	Cowdenbeath	0	Coventry	0
Everton	1	Sunderland	0	Hull	2	Hamilton	0	Darlington	0
Leeds	3	Wolves	3	Lincoln	0	Partick	0	Clapton O.	3
Manchester C.	2	Liverpool	1	Millwall	2	Kilmarnock	1	Gateshead	2
Middlebro	2	Portsmouth	0	Notts C.	2	Hibernian	1	Doncaster	5
Newcastle	2	Stoke	2	Plymouth	1	Dundee	1	Mansfield	1
Wednesday	2	Tottenham	1	Port Vale	0	Queen's Park	1	Exeter	0
W. Bromwich	2	Aston Villa	1	Southampton	5	O'South	2	New Brighton	5
						Hearts	3	Southend	0
						Queen's P.R.	2	Watford	1
						Swindon	1	Walsall	3
						Torquay	2	Gillingham	1
						+Abandoned after 78 minutes.		York	0

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TABLE TO DATE

Goals										
P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	P	W	L	
Arsenal	10	11	3	5	35	10	27	10	11	3
Derby	18	10	2	3	21	20	26	19	10	4
Tottenham	10	10	5	3	33	19	24	10	6	2
Huddersfield	10	9	4	6	46	35	24	10	5	3
Manchester C.	10	9	4	6	28	20	24	10	5	3
W. Bromwich	10	9	4	6	44	25	21	10	5	3
Sunderland	10	9	7	3	44	25	21	10	6	2
Blackburn	10	9	7	3	40	38	21	10	6	2
Wolves	10	7	7	5	32	42	19	10	6	2
Portsmouth	10	7	7	5	32	42	19	10	6	2
Everton	10	7	7	4	35	38	18	10	6	2
Middleboro	10	9	9	0	36	40	18	10	6	2
Wednesday	10	7	10	3	33	33	16	10	6	2
Aston Villa	10	7	10	2	33	33	16	10	6	2

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P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts	P	W	L	
Grimsby	10	14	7	0	48	18	28	10	11	3
Bolton	10	11	7	1	35	20	23	10	10	4
Port Vale	10	10	6	3	28	21	23	10	6	2
Brentford	10	9	5	6	32	24	23	10	6	2
Blackpool	10	9	5	5	33	22	23	10	6	2
Preston	10	8	6	5	32	26	21	10	6	2
Wolves	10	8	7	4	31	29	20	10	6	2
Fulham	10	7	6	6	30	28	19	10	6	2
St. Mirren	10	7	6	6	30	28	19	10	6	2
Charlton	10	7	6	5	32	22	19	10	6	2
Hearts	10	7	6	5	32	22	19	10	6	2
St. Johnstone	21	10	6	5	41	30	25	10	6	2
Kilmarnock	22	10	6	5	46	30	25	10	6	2
Falkirk	22	10	8	4	48	44	24	10	6	2
Rangers	20	10	2	2	22	19	21	10	6	2
Coventry	17	9	6	3	35	20	21	10	6	2
Reading	17	9	6	3	35	20	21	10	6	2
Charlton	17	9	6	2	45	26	20	10	6	2
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Exeter	18	9	7	4	46	30	20	10	6	2
Bristol R.	17	9	6	3	40	32	19	10	6	2
Carlisle	17	6	6	0	48	32	17	10	6	2
Stockport	17	11	3	4	32	18	23	10	6	2
Walsall	17	10	6	1	34	18	21	10	6	2
Transmre	17	9	5	3	33	18	21	10	6	2
Doncaster	17	8	5	4	34	18	21	10	6	2
Barnsley	17	8	6	3	41	19	20	10	6	2
Barrow	18	7	6	5	43	19	20	10	6	2
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